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FRANCE CONSIDERING DECLARATION OF WAR ON THE GERMAN REPUBLIC

Father Of Irish Cabinet Minister Murdered

DUBLIN, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Dr. Thomas O'Higgins, of Maryborough, Father of Kevin O'Higgins, Free State Minister of home affairs, was assassinated today.

The official announcement today said:

"Dr. O'Higgins, coroner of Queen's County, was shot dead by armed men last evening."

The victim is a brother-in-law of Timothy Healy, governor general of the Free State.

Armor To Protect Police

PARIS, Feb. 12—When the Parisian police are sent to arrest dangerous criminals they will hereafter be equipped with a rectangular sheet of steel to protect the face, and with armor in the form of overlapping sheets of chrome steel over heavy cloth. This garment covers the front of the body and is capable of deflecting a revolver bullet.

Pope Celebrates Anniversary

ROME, Feb. 12—The first anniversary of the coronation of Pope Pius was celebrated today with a pontifical mass in the Sistine Chapel at which Cardinal Bouzano officiated. The Pontiff was present with the members of the sacred college, the diplomatic corps at the vatican and numerous prelates of hich rank. Among the last were Archbishop Fumazoni-Biondi, the new apostolic delegate to the United States; Monsignor Floersh, newly appointed coadjutator bishop of Louisville; Monsignor O'Hern, rector of the American college and Dr. John Mullen, former rector of Holy Cross Cathedral, Boston.

Six Of One Family Asphyxiated; Five Of Another Burn To Death

Stork Visits Mother Rescued From Fire Badly Burned

PITMAN, N. J., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—A family of six were asphyxiated and a dozen other persons were overcome early today by gas escaping from a broken main in this city.

The dead are: P. Pucci, a shoemaker, his wife and four children, ranging in ages from 4 to 20 years.

Of those overcome, the most critical is Daniel Blackman, a broker, with members of the Pucci family had an office in Philadelphia.

From the position of the bodies, it was evident to the police that some made efforts to reach fresh air.

Five Perish In Fire

INDIANA, PA., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Andrew Polaceka and four of his children were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home in a remote part of Indiana county, yesterday. Mrs. Polaceka, who was badly burned, was brought to a hospital here where, a few hours later, she became the mother of a little daughter.

Physicians said both would live.

Polaceka, who had been a steel worker in the mills of Johnstown, bought a little farm six months ago and moved there with his family. Neighbors in the vicinity yesterday discovered the house was on fire, but when they reached the place they found that the father and children were cut off from escape by the flames.

Mrs. Polaceka was found on the first floor badly hurt. She was taken to a nearby house and last night brought to the hospital here. She was unable to throw any light on the cause of the tragedy.

Bandits Raid Eagles' Club; Kill Man

CHARLEROY, N. Y., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—William Hope was shot dead in a spectacular raid by seven masked bandits in the Eagles' Club here early today. The men escaped with money and jewelry estimated in value at $5,000. The authorities of three counties and the state police are scouring the country in an effort to locate the gang.

Eighteen men were sitting in the club shortly after midnight about to leave for their homes, when the gang, dressed in black robes and black hoods walked into the room and ordered them to throw up their hands. Hope did not get his hands up as quickly as the others and one of the bandits immediately opened fire. He was shot through the head.

The Eagles were then ordered to sit down and while two of the bandits covered them with their pistols, the others searched them and rifled the cash register. They then cut the telephone wires and ran out, driving rapidly away in automobiles, which with engines running, had been left standing in the street.

Engaged

Confirmation has been made of the report that Gloria Morgan (above), daughter of the American consul-general at Brussels, is to marry Reginald Vanderbilt, of New York.

BLOODY BATTLE IN STATE IN BRAZIL

BUENOS AIRES, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—An encounter between state troops and rebels in the Brazilian state of Rio Grande de Sul, is reported in dispatches from Porto Alegre, Brazil. The government forces are said to have suffered 200 casualties, while the rebel losses are not reported. The engagement took place at Nonohay.

For nearly a month press dispatches from Montevidio and Buenos Aires have reported an incipient rebellion in Rio Grande de Sul. The trouble is out of opposition to Governor De-Medeiros, whose recent re-election is declared by the rebels to have been illegal.

CAPITOL JOKES

By Frederick N. Zihlman
U. S. Representative From Maryland, Sixth District

ZIHLMAN

AN Irish soldier, coming out of ether in the hospital ward after an operation, exclaimed:

"Well, anyhow, that's over."

"Don't be too sure," said the man in the next cot. "The doctor left a sponge in me and had to open me up again to get it."

"He left a pair of scissors in me," blithely lied the man on the other side of the Irishman, "and he had a hard time finding them when he opened me the second time."

The Irish soldier was ruminating on these statements, when suddenly the doctor who had operated on him stuck his head in at the door and yelled:

"Has anybody seen my hat?"

BERNHARDT NOT REHEARSING

PARIS, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—A report that Mme. Sarah Bernhardt is rehearsing Maurice Rostand's new play, "The Sphynx," is premature, for although the star insists that she is capable of resuming her work, her physicians still refuse to permit her to do so.

"Baby Mine"

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

(Feb. 12, 1809—April 15, 1865)

By Berton Braley

ALWAYS he saw himself as but a man;
A spirit moving in an earthy clod.
Always he held himself as of the clan
That hews the wood and tills the stubborn sod;
He had the gift to vision and to plan
Simply and truly. All the ways he trod
Were humble, common ways; yet now we scan
Lincoln as one who came close unto God.
Man among men, railsplitter, servant, master,
Never he lost the simple human trait:
And thus he saved a nation from disaster,
Faithful in small things, ruler over great!
Walking by common ways at least to death,
Like that poor carpenter of Nazareth.

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Paris Resents Criticism By Other Powers And Plans Drastic Action

PARIS, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Considerable talk is going on in political and international circles in Paris as to whether France, Belgium and Italy are going to succeed in bringing Germany to terms by the action now being taken in the Ruhr Valley under the treaty of Versailles.

It is pointed out that every intensification of the allied action results in the reinforcement of the German resistance and doubt is frequently expressed in some of the more aggressive quarters as to whether the pressure necessary to oblige Germany to accept the system of productive guarantees can be applied unless the allies resort to the declaration of a state of war.

Premier Poincare is understood to be very sensitive as to public opinion abroad regarding the seizure of the Ruhr, feeling acutely the criticisms voiced in the United States and England following each protest of the German government against measures which it declares illegal. Those who take an aggressive stand hold that a state of war, which would not necessarily mean the opening of hostilities, would give France a free hand in putting an end to the repeated protests of Germany over the alleged illegality of the French action. It is considered in these circles that there is ample ground for declaring a state of war in these circumstances.

Germany has practically torn up the treaty of Versailles and thus destroyed the peace status that existed by treaty, it is asserted.

That the principal political issue in Germany lately turned upon the question whether the treaty should be complied with and that the composition of the present government shows that the opposition to compliance won.

That finally there is resistance by the highest authorities in the German government to the application of measures provided for in Article XVIII of the treaty of Versailles.

Well informed persons, who are talking of this eventuality, express the opinion that the declaration of war would have no worse moral effect abroad than the present action in the Ruhr itself. The French officials, it is understood are coming to the viewpoint that they are certain to be criticized whatever they do to get money from Germany, and that this would be the shortest cut and might end in a few months an operation which now promises to drag on indefinitely.

Any extreme measures of this sort are not regarded as imminent however, as the French, it is declared, intend thoroughly to try out the plan of action they have undertaken under the treaty of Versailles.

The declaration of a state of war, if ever undertaken, would be the outcome of a gradual development of the plans of the allies under persistent German resistance.

(By The United Press)

The shooting of two French soldiers and a German civilian in a clash at Gelsenkirchen, Westphalia, was reported from Berlin today as the French completed plans to prevent export of Ruhr product to Germany and to take over all railroads in the occupied area.

Simultaneously, Europe was electrified that Mustapha Kemal, the Turk war lord was at Smyrna where the allied warships in the harbor await militant action by the Turks. The allied governments are not certain when the latest Ottoman ultimatum to withdraw war vessels from Smyrna expires. A battalion of the Duke of Wellington regiment has been ordered from Gibraltar to the Near East. Official announcement was made by France today that exports from the Ruhr to allied countries or even to unoccupied Germany on payment of heavy duties may be permitted. President Ebert went to Karlsruhe today receiving an enthusiastic welcome.

Germany Denied Ruhr Products

Essen, France and Belgium will deny Germany all products of the Ruhr from midnight tonight until the Cuno government capitalists are agreed to pay heavy duties. Invaluable supplies of steel and iron as well as fuel and the finished product of factories will be lost to Germany until the issue is settled. Temper of inhabitants of the occupied area was aroused by announcement of these new restrictions. It was reported that secret organizations of Ruhr citizens to those organized in Venice, Italy, during French occupation are now meeting regularly. German officials are now doing everything in their power to foster strikes in the occupied zone and the French to combat them. A report from Worms today said the French seized half a million marks and sixty million at Mayence to prevent the Germans utilizing the money to pay strikers. A number of agents distributing these strike funds were arrested. The French informed the mayor of Essen they will help themselves to coal here if this district fails to meet the needs of troops.

America Has Too Much Gold

WASHINGTON, February 12.—(By the United Press)—America has too much gold for its welfare, D. R. Crissinger, comptroller of the currency stated today in his annual report. Nearly half of the gold supply of the world is in the United States. Paradoxical as it may seem, this concentration is as harmful to the United States as the lack of the precious metal is to the other countries. The total gold supply of the world is estimated at nine billion dollars.

"We hold well nigh half of the monetary gold stock of the world, and such a disproportionate holding is less unfortunate for us than it is for the other countries to have their gold supply so badly depleted," Crissinger said.

Economic stability is based on the free movement of gold, he pointed out.

Huge Crowds At Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, LA., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—With the city already crowded with what is said to be the greatest throng of visitors that ever attended New Orleans' mardi gras carnival regular and special trains continued today to bring thousands of sight-seers from all parts of the country to witness the final two days' festivities of the annual celebration.

Donahey Improving

COLUMBUS, O., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Both Governor Donahey and his private secretary, J. A. Meckstroth, who are confined to their homes with influenza, were reported slightly convalescent today.

ORDERS SCHOOLS CLOSED

MARYSVILLE, O., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Health Commissioner Carl Hoopes today ordered all Marysville schools closed today until further notice in order to stamp out an epidemic of a number of diseases, including scarlet fever, diphtheria and influenza among the pupils of the local schools.

Powers To 'Stand Pat' On Defiance Of Turkey

PARIS, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Three day extension of the Turkish ultimatum demanding the withdrawal of the allied battleships at Smyrna, is not expected to modify the positive stand taken by France and Great Britain, and so far as is known the orders to the naval commanders to defend their positions if attack still holds good.

Press dispatches confirm reports, which have also reached London, that the Turks last Saturday decided to wait another three days for the withdrawal of the war craft. They reserved to themselves full liberty of action after the expiration of that time.

Constantinople newspapers maintain that the situation will be adjusted satisfactorily, although they declare that the order closing the port of Smyrna will not be countermanded. One journal terming the increase of British naval strength in the eastern Mediterranean as a "hostile act."

KEMAL AT SMYRNA

SMYRNA, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Mustapha Kemal Pasha, Turkish nationalist leader, has arrived here. Calm prevails through the city. No additional warships have entered either the Ismid or Smyrna harbors.

Allies Ready For Battle

CONSTANTINOPLE, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The latest advices from the Turkish capital, Angora, are to the effect that the Kemalists are pursing a policy of calm and moderation. The allies here however, have taken military measures to meet any eventuality.

To Hold Road Parley

HARRISBURG, PA., February 21.—(By the Associated Press)—Governor Pinchot today announced that he had issued invitations to the governors of all states to send representatives to a conference here March 23 and 24 for the interchange of ideas on road building policies and practices.

"The purpose of the conference," said the governor, "will be to consider the policy and practice of state highway construction methods of state highway upkeep and the whole problem of traffic regulation with specific reference to co-operation between the states in such regulation. I am convinced that a very important reduction in the enormous and unnecessary injury and loss of life and limb now caused by reckless and unregulated driving can be brought about by such a conference."

Says Lincoln's Father Done Injustice

CHICAGO—Abraham Lincoln's father has been done great injustice by historians, president of the American Flag Day Association tells Chicagoan.

200 Held In Chicago

CHICAGO, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—More than two hundred men were held in police stations today to face victims of robberies and burglaries in Chicago during a 24 hour period. They were arrested Saturday night and last night in what was termed the first general police roundup this year.

Workers Call Meeting

BERLIN, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—An Essen dispatch today, the Rote Fahne says, that a conference of the Rhenish Westphalian workers has been called for March 4. The meeting is being organized by a special committee appointed by the workmen's councils to request the summoning of a conference of leading international labor organizations to "take all measures necessary in the interest of the proletariat."

The Berlin press finds little to its liking in the France-Belgian note prohibiting German cabinet members from entering the Ruhr. One newspaper declares that the ministers will disregard the order, while Hugo Stinnes' paper, the Deutche Allgemeine Zeitung finds the note ludicrous.

Claim Conditions Exaggerated

WASHINGTON—Pacific coast narcotic chief in report to Washington superiors says drug conditions in Los Angeles and Hollywood motion picture colony, have been exaggerated.

French And Germans Clash; Three Shot

BERLIN, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—German policemen clashed with the French today at Gelsinkirchen, but there were no fatalities, according to reliable advices. A policeman and two French officers were reported to have been taken to a hospital with wounds.

Germans Organize General Strike; French Send Tanks

DUESSELDORF, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Reports that the Germans are organizing a general strike at Herne, not far from Bochum, have led to the dispatch of French tanks to that place.

The Germans are boycotting the forces of occupation throughout the Herne district and the French have been obliged to take over the work of some of the German police. The boycott, in fact, is becoming more and more popular throughout the Ruhr and the Germans have decided to extend it to Essen, refusing to do business with the French and Belgians beginning today.

General DeGoutte declares that France sought redress rather than the economic destruction of Germany, as has been charged by Chancellor Cuno.

"We want Germany to honor her signature," he said. "The economic ruin of Germany would prevent her from paying us. Germany, by fomenting strikes, is responsible for the present situation of achieving her own ruin."

Pointing to the great difficulties France faced in the Ruhr, the general said that even American energy and genius for organization might have found the situation difficult. He added however, that "right and might" were on the side of France and that she would win.

Architect Dies Of Pneumonia

CINCINNATI—Edward L. Shea, 50, architect and builder, of New York and Cincinnati, died of pneumonia.

British Fleet Strengthened

VALETTA, MALTA, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—It is understood the British force of destroyers in Turkish waters is being added to by another, a flotilla from the Atlantic fleea, presumably the fourth, which is tated to be enroute to Malta, destined for the Dardanelles. This will bring the number of British destroyer flotillas in Near Eastern waters up to five.

Second Herrin Trial Opens

MARION, ILLS., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The first group of veniremen called for possible jury service at the second trial growing out of the Herrin, Illinois, mine riots last June, when more than a score of men are killed, was in Williamson county circuit court today.

Nine men, including four of the five who were acquitted at the first trial, and Hugh Wills, miners' union official of Herrin, face charges of first degree murder in connection with the death of Antonio Mulkavitch, of Erle, Pa., a guard at the Lester strip mine.

The disorders resulted from an attempt to open the mine with non-union labor during a coal strike.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By J. P. Alley

Billy Butt-In

THE TIMES WEATHER MAN

Some of these old modeled umbrellas are having an awful time keepin' up with this steady attack o' moisture. Here's for tomorrow:

OHIO—Rain in south and rain or snow in north portion tonight and Tuesday. Rising temperature.

KENTUCKY—Rain tonight and Tuesday. Rising temperature.

The extremes in local temperature today were: High, 42; low, 23.

LYRIC Tonight

Fair and Warmer!

Followed by storms! . . . For Bachelor Ezra Potts had never had much fun —till a dare-devil spirit, hunting a body, spied him and entered in!

Then holy cats! How the neighbors gasped at what that old bird did!

A love story built on a rousing idea never screened before! Filled with amazing mechanical marvels and laughs to last a week!

Ever imagine what a timid man would do if he dared to live 24 hours exactly as he wished?

Ever imagine how you'd feel after laughing a solid hour straight?

Come and follow Will Rogers through "One Glorious Day"!

—Extra Attraction—
"Hee Haw" — A 2 Reel Comedy

VALENTINE DAY, LIKE OLD GRAY MARE, IS NOT WHAT IT USED TO BE

Like the old gray mare, Valentine's Day is not what she used to be.

Time was when the timid swain would begin to save his nickles and pennies on February first, and along about the twelfth he would have enough to purchase a large lace paper affair besprinkled with cupids and bleeding hearts — an affair somewhat smaller than a bedspread, but larger than an overnight bag, and of a draught between two and five inches.

This he would sneak home under cover of darkness and hide underneath his bed until the evening of Valentine Day, meantime spending his time in a perspiration as to whether to put his initials under one of the many folds and flaps of the thing, or just trust to "her" knowing from whence it came. The strain on a young woman's intuition was often terrific on old fashioned Valentine Days.

Then on the evening of the day, he would tote the atrocity across the street to his beloved's home, lower it reverently to the door sill, give the bell a twist, and leave that neighborhood. It was high adventuring along love's pathway.

Those were the good old days.

IN SUEDE

A sleeveless jacket of suede, three-quarter length, with a narrow belt, is smartest when worn with an all-white costume and with a small suede hat to match.

Backaches?—*welcome relief!*
Scatter the painful congestion. Sloan's warms and stimulates the blood, breaks up congestion —*banishes the pain!*

Sloan's Liniment
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For rheumatism, bruises, strains, chest colds

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Blast Damages Gas Plant; Three Men Are Injured

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Feb. 12—Three men were injured and a loss of approximately $100,000 entailed Sunday when the pumping station of the Huntington Development and Gas Company at Hubball was demolished by an explosion and fire, caused when a cylinder head was knocked off of a large compressor engine, allowing a great volume of gas to escape. The compressor building was completely wrecked and a 500-gallon tank of lubricating oil was ignited and spread the flames rapidly over the first floor and the basement.

The men injured were employes of the company. They are:

Delbert Farrell, badly burned about the face and hands.

Golden Saunders, face and hands burned, but not seriously.

E. M. Roy, hands burned badly.

GET YOUR NEW AUTO TAG

Another supply of 1923 automobile tags has been received by the Portsmouth Banking company, and motorists who have not received one of the new issue are urged to do so before February 15, the time limit for driving with old tags.

Prominent Huntington Lawyer Dies

The Huntington Herald Dispatch Monday said:

Harvey T. Lovett, 52, one of the most notable figures in the legal, business and civic affairs of Huntington and one of the best known business lawyers of West Virginia, died of acute nephritis at 4:10 Sunday morning. The end came at the Huntington general hospital, where he had been a patient for four weeks. His acute illness began at Christmas time, Saturday, December 23 having been his last day at his desk.

Mr. Lovett as a member of the law firm of Williams, Scott & Lovett, president of the Foster Foundation, secretary and member of the board of directors of the Foster-Thornburg Hardware company; secretary and member of the board of directors of the Hutchinson Lumber company and director of the Huntington Chamber of Commerce.

Second Presbyterian News

Sick

Mrs. Elizabeth Hartman, 1530 Ninth street; Mrs. J. N. Ellison, Mercy Hospital; Miss Georgia Padan, 1419 Offnere street; Mr. Edward Page, 1029 Eighteenth street; Mrs. Wesley Ridenour, 807 Offnere street; Mr. John Campbell, 1221 Twelfth street; Mrs. Herbert Reutinger, 1601 Twelfth street; Mr. and Mrs. Russell Becker and Gentry, Grimes Apartments, Second street; Lloyd Baker, 1415 Seventeenth street; Mr. W. W. Briggs, 720 Waller street.

Young People

We hope you can accompany us on a trip to "The Thousand Islands," which is to start from the Second Presbyterian church Thursday, February 15, 1923, at 8:00 o'clock. The trip will last about one hour, but we shall hope for the pleasure of your company at a lunch afterward.

Cordially,
Y. P. S. C. E.

The Boy Scouts will meet Monday night at 7:00 p. m. This is the last chance for Scouts to be registered.

The Girls' Basketball Team is to meet Miss Dowling in the Gymnasium Tuesday night at 7:00 p. m.

Women's Societies

The Judge Blair Class will hold a Winter Picnic in the Social Hall of the church on Monday evening, February 12th at 6:00 o'clock. The members and their families are invited and all are urged to come. Ladies in charge are: Mrs. Harry Moister, chairman; Mrs. Alonzo Williams, Mrs. Hennessy, Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Nageleisen, Mrs. John Arthurs, Mrs. W. L. Tracy, Mrs. Bertha Blood and Miss Mary Helt. A business meeting will follow the supper. Bring valentines!

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet at the church Tuesday afternoon, February 13th, at 2:00 p. m., in the Primary Room. The devotionals and prayer calendar will be given by Mrs. Charles Zull. The treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Bothwell, will give her report. Group leader, Mrs. C. E. Dowling. Assistant hostesses, Mrs. J. N. Ellison, Mrs. Albert Patton, Mrs. Alexander Littlejohn, Mrs. C. C. Bothwell, Mrs. Henry Scott, Mrs. Carlos Pyles, Mrs. H. A. Wright and Mrs. C. W. G. Hannah. There will be election of officers.

Briddy To Shape Up Plans For Season

Al H. Bridwell will soon get busy shaping up his baseball plans for the new season. He has a chance to again manage the Oneonta, N. Y., team, but may not return there. He has been working in the Whitaker-Glessner plant during the off season.

To Enlarge Plant

The Foster Stove company of Ironton is seeking additional ground to erect a big addition to its plant. The firm plans to double its present capacity.

No Arguments
If You Carry Your
IDENTIFICATION CARD
ARROW IGNITION CO.

White May Lose His Forfeit Money

NEW YORK, Feb. 12—Charlie White, Chicago lightweight, who lost a 15 round decision Friday night to Rocky Kansas of Buffalo, must forfeit $2,500 for being 12 ounces over stipulated weight of 135 pounds for the match.

Chairman William Muldoon of the state boxing commission who had received the promised protest of White's manager to surrendering the $2,500, said today that he probably would order payment to Kansas if the proposition is placed formally before him.

Great for Rheumatic Pains and Swellings

When rheumatism settles in any of your joints and causes agony, distress or misery, please remember that Joint-Ease is the one remedy that brings quick and lasting relief.

It matters not how chronic or aggravated a case may be—rub on Joint-Ease and relief is sure to follow.

Joint-Ease is for joint troubles only and is a clean, stainless preparation that the Fisher and Streich pharmacy and druggists everywhere are recommending.—advertisement.

Nephew Of Man Murdered On Dry Run Is Shot To Death Near Hamden, O.

Special To Times

HAMDEN, Feb. 12—Hile Malone, son of "Banjo" Malone, age about 23 was murdered near Oreton a coal mining community Saturday evening, being shot in the head, the bullet coming out the back of his head. Sheriff Fletcher Collins with two deputies were called to the scene and arrested a man who resides near Oreton. He claims he did not do the shooting but let a man have his gun and when he was some distance from Malone he heard shots and returning found Malone dead.

Hile Malone was a relative of Henry Malone of near Zaleski, who was found murdered near Portsmouth a year ago. Oreton is located on the Hocking Valley railroad, about six miles east of Hamden.

Malone was a nephew of Henry Malone, whose lifeless body was found on Dry Run on December 3, 1922. Malone's body was at the Lynn mortuary five weeks before positive identification was established by Washington C. H. business men. Malone's throat was cut for ear to ear.

Grand Jury Convenes

The grand jury convened in Ironton Monday and will probe the John Johnson killing, which occurred several weeks ago at his home in Proctorville, Johnson being shot and fatally wounded by Sheriff C. M. Dement.

Here On Visit

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Davis of Columbus are visiting Portsmouth relatives.

Beat Ashland

Saturday night at Ashland the Ceredo-Kenova boys won over Ashland hi, 15 to 9. On Friday night the Ashland team lost a 27 to 24 game to the Clarke county, hi five, while the Ashland Kittens won from the Clark hi girls 17 to 5.

Play Here Feb. 24

The Ashland Kittens play the P. H. S. girls in the local gym Saturday night February 24.

Daughter Is Ill

Florence, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Kates of Findlay Street is ill.

Fined $100

Donie Wise of Ironton, known here was fined $100 for having moonshine in his possession.

Is Very Ill

Mrs. W. A. Ralston of Union street is very ill with pneumonia.

TUBERCULOSIS

The Rocky Glen Sanatorium
McConnelsville, Ohio
The oldest private sanatorium in Ohio for the treatment of tuberculosis. For information consult your physician or write the institution.

SUN Tonite 8:15

HUSBANDS: How long has it been since you crushed your wife in your arms, and said "I Love You?" How long has it been since you "Said It With Flowers" for your wife?—Or brought home a box of MARY LOUISE candy?

YOU Are One of the Big Reasons

"WHY WIVES GO WRONG"? By Ralph Kettering

A STAGE PLAY—NOT A MOTION PICTURE

3 DAYS—Nights (8:15) ..... 50c and 75c
ONLY—Matinee Tuesday ..... 25c and 35c

Things Seen In Portsmouth

Income Tax Facts

Business expenditures are not always business expenses within the meaning of the income tax law. For example a merchant may build an addition to his warehouse at a cost of $100,000. This is a capital expenditure for an addition to his assets. Capital expenditures are not deductible.

Distinction is made between expenditures for an asset and expenditures in connection with an asset. If the merchant should, during the year spend $500 for repairs to his warehouse, such as painting the roof or replacing broken windows, he may deduct such amount as a business expense.

Medical, law or other professional books, machinery, tools, implements, or surgical instruments purchased by a taxpayer for use in his trade or profession, and which are of a permanent character are capital assets and their cost is not allowed as a deduction. A farmer may not deduct the cost of a threshing machine or tractor, these being capital expenditures, but is allowed to deduct the cost of hoes, rakes, and small tools which are used up in course of a year or two in farming operations.

The purchase price of an automobile, even when used wholly for business or professional purposes, is not deductible, but is regarded as investment of capital. The cost of gasoline repairs, and upkeep of an automobile is deductible if used wholly in business. If used partly for business and partly for the pleasure or convenience of the taxpayer and his family, such cost should be apportioned accordingly.

Pitchers Reporting

The Giant pitchers are reporting at Marlin Springs, Tex., for spring training. Nothing succeeds like a good start.

Prominent woman carrying a big white Teddy bear down Chillicothe street.

Chillicothe street business man chasing rat across the street.

Gasoline tank falling off car as it was being driven along the main street.

Two flappers meeting married men in post office lobby. One has been married three times.

Old codger meeting chicken at Gay and Mill streets, almost every night.

Four people painting a flivver. Poor fliv.

"Lovin' Sam" that fox-trot with the come-on-and-dance melody, was never played with greater joyousness than when Ted Lewis and His Band made their Columbia Record of it.
"Bees' Knees" is on the reverse side. At COLUMBIA DEALERS
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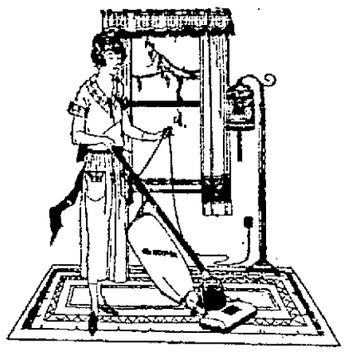

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18 Caught In Police Dragnet

Eighteen persons were caught in the police dragnet over the week end. The blotter at police headquarters this morning contained this list of offenders: I. N. Collins, 35 transporting liquor unlawfully; Robert Patterson, negro, gun toting; Ella Jordan, 24, statutory charge; C. G. Atkins, drunkenness and resisting an officer; Don Odle, drunk and disorderly; Nellie Newman, drunk and disorderly; Lillian Phillips, Thomas Burns, Thomas Jackson, James Funk, Daniel Miller, Frank Robinson, Pat Joss, Pat Tumey and George Dement all plain drunks.

Ada Hayden, colored, disorderly conduct and Cecil Wilson, driving while intoxicated.

"Why Wives Go Wrong," At Sun Tonight

Slaving in the kitchen over a hot stove, cooking and washing dishes, with never a little vacation, is one of the many reasons Why Wives Go Wrong," the somewhat daring and bold sensation, written by Ralph Kettering and the production by the Jack Ball Stock Co. for three days, starting tonight, at the Sun Theater.

There is some very good philosophy in Mr. Kettering's play, and while it is a drama dealing with the present day affairs of the home, there is nothing in the play to offend anyone.

The piece has been rehearsed under the personal direction of Mr. Richard Earle, who made such a favorable impression last week as "Charlie Yang" in "East Is West." Mr. Earle and Miss Grahame recently closed with the road company to join the Jack Ball Company and will be seen in the same roles they portrayed with "Why Wives Go Wrong." A ladies' bargain matinee is given tomorrow at 2:30. Starting Thursday matinee comes to Portsmouth for the first time the rip-roaring, side-splitting farce comedy, "She Walked In Her Sleep." Daphne Arnold, clad in the thinnest of silk nightgowns, while in a somnambulistic state walks along the ledges of sixteen story buildings, into the apartments of newlyweds, likewise bachelors' rooms and carries off with her anything which might lie in her path. In one instance she gets a powerful explosive which has been left with a chemist to analyze. Her sleep-walking proclivities gets everyone into no end of trouble.

Cyrus Sent To Penitentiary

VANCEBURG, KY., Feb. 12—A special session of the Circuit court convened here, with Judge W. C. Halbert on the bench and John F. Coldiron, Commonwealth Attorney prosecuting.

James Cyrus, who was brought here and lodged in the county jail, pending trial, was arraigned and pleaded guilty to a charge of grand larceny. He was given one year in the penitentiary at Frankfort. The crimes for which he was arrested were thefts of harness and other valuables from farmers around Vanceburg, Portsmouth and Chillicothe.

T. C. Riley, of Garrison, Ky., pleaded guilty of assault and battery and was given a five day jail sentence.

Court then adjourned till one o'clock, when the case of Louis Blivens, arrested for shooting Roy Springer was called. Two witnesses for the prosecution being absent the case was continued till Saturday, February 17th.

Fire In Ashland

ASHLAND, Feb. 12—At eight o'clock this morning fire destroyed the chemical laboratory of the American Rolling Mills company's open hearth plant, one mile below Ashland, on the Ashland-Russell pike. The building, a frame structure, was a total loss, little headway being made in fighting the flames because of a lack of hose equipment at the fire station.

The loss is estimated at $5,000.

SMART GINGHAM FROCK

A gingham frock of blue and white checks with a wide bertha is trimmed with bands of linen braid dyed a French blue.

Visited In Barden

Wiley Kates of Findlay street visited relatives in Barden Sunday.

No Change

There is no change in the condition of Mrs. George Law, who continues seriously ill with heart trouble at her home on Second street.

You Take Cold Easiest When You Are Tired

Doctors will tell you that a person who is tired is the easiest victim of the cold or influenza germ. The power of resistance has been lowered, wasted tissue has not been rebuilt and the door is wide open for the entrance of the germs.

You can build up your power of resistance and gain more energy for the day's work by taking a tonic food such as Father John's Medicine which is all pure nourishment, scientifically prepared in such a way that it is quickly taken up by a system that is weakened and run down. It is guaranteed free from alcohol and drugs, and has had more than sixty-seven years' success treating coughs, colds, bronchial troubles and building new strength.—Advertisement.

Deals By Rickey Realty Co.

Deals closed by the Rickey Realty company the past few days include:

A new Dutch colonial house on Twenty-first street and Sunrise avenue, nearing completion, owned by Howard Harsha, sold to Marshal S. Hamer in charge of the continuous mill at the Whitaker-Glessner Co. He will occupy his new home about the first of March.

G. T. Elliott's former home on Seventeenth street near Offnere to Carl Suter of the Boulevard as an investment.

J. E. Burke's new home on Sunrise avenue sold to Eugene H. Stewart, well known tobacco salesman. Mr. Stewart will occupy his new home in March.

Into New Flats

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C. & O. Detective Has Taken Bride

VANCEBURG, KY., Feb. 12—H. M. Brown and Miss Margaret Lynch were united in marriage by Father Jones, of Maysville, Ky., Saturday.

Brown is a C. & O. detective and formerly lived in Ashland.

The happy couple left for Detroit and other points. After their honeymoon they will reside in Maysville.

Seek Road Extension

ASHLAND, Ky. Feb. 12—At a meeting of representatives from the Big Sandy counties traversed by the Mayo Trail, at the Ventur Hotel Saturday, plans were completed for a plea to be made before the state highway commission at Frankfort tomorrow seeking improvement and extension of this important road.

Was In Cincinnati

Gilbert Bauer, who is employed in the Whitaker-Glessner plant, spent Sunday with home folks in Cincinnati.

DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of this hamburg tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacupful at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

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Willing To Grant Time

IRELAND—President Cosgrave, Irish Eireann, asserts he is willing to grant truce pending election to decide Ireland shall be free state or republic.

Deny Them Medical Treatment

FRANCE—German medical organizations members to refuse treatment to French or Belgians until Ruhr evacuated.

Deliver Up Arms

IRELAND—County Cork irregulars under new amnesty decree to deliver up arms and ammunition and promise to avoid fighting against Free State Government.

See Serious Political Possibilities

LONDON—London Times sees serious political possibilities in French decree prohibition German ministers in occupied territory.

TELL ME I SHOULDN'T

One of the gang told me the other day that it would hurt the party if the people knew all the facts on the inside. Why shouldn't the people know the truth instead of covering things up, which by the way has been the cause of inside political fights since before the day of the old "Democratic First" and "Bloody Fourth." Those were great days when poor Cooper and dear old Val white, white, and black, black, both had reading matter that both sides read, but wasn't a bit more interesting than the price of six-fifty on those patent sandals with brocade satin quarters, or those new brown bals for men on that new French last at nine-fifty.

Infants' Mocasins First Steps

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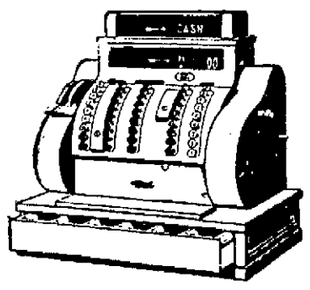

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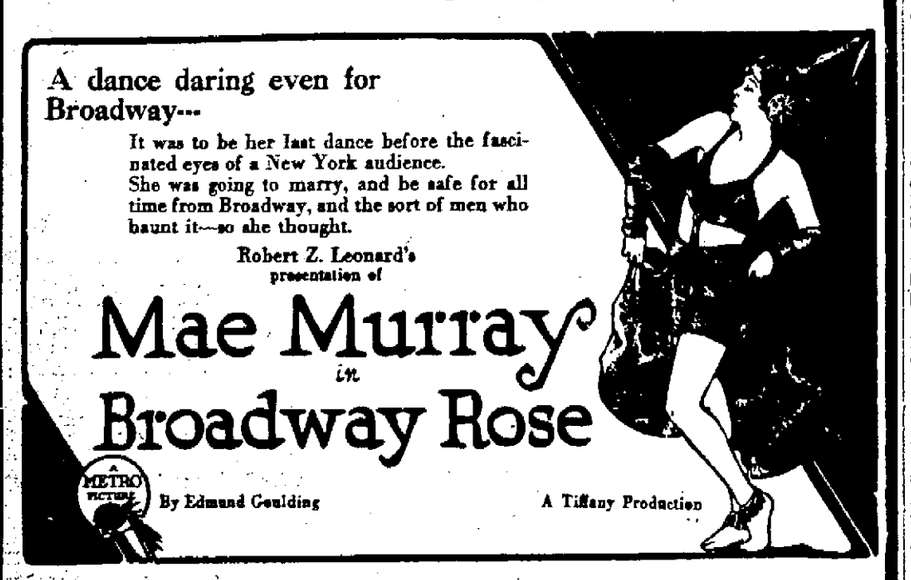

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MAY HOLD REFERENDUM ON BILL

The Irontonian says:

"There is a well defined movement underway here to hold a referendum on the proposed bill to establish a municipal court and abolish the offices of the Justices of the Peace in Ironton, Upper, Perry and Hamilton townships, should it be passed by the legislature.

A bill to establish such a court has been introduced in the State Senate by Senator T. A. Jenkins, but no action on the proposal has been taken.

Lincoln Never Used Any Man's Money But His Own

WASHINGTON, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—A musty volume in the archives of the postoffice department in which is recorded the appointment of Abraham Lincoln as postmaster at New Salem, Sangamon county, Illinois, on May 7, 1833, recalls on his birthday anniversary today an interesting story of his postmastership which is said to be a tradition of the service.

As related in a memorandum made public by the department, it was several years after the postoffice at New Salem had been closed in 1839, that one of the few special agents then assigned to that duty called on Lincoln, then a struggling young lawyer of 27, to close up finally the accounts of the office. The former postmaster, in accordance with departmental routine had waited for the agent's visit. The latter, according to the story, presented Lincoln with a statement showing a balance due the government from the postoffice amounting to about $17.

Lincoln, as the memorandum relates the story, responded by rising from his chair, crossing his office to an old trunk in the corner, and taking from it a cotton rag tied with a string. Untying it he produced the exact amount of money demanded by the postoffice agent, indicating that he had held the sum intact and untouched ever since his retirement as postmaster.

"I never used any man's money but my own," he said calmly.

Forty-Five Married Doughboys Must "Come Down To Earth"

NEW YORK, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Forty-five of the 152 doughboys who returned from Coblenz on the transport St. Mihiel yesterday, turned their attention today to the future. For these 45 are married, most of them to German brides, and soon are to be discharged from the service of Uncle Sam. And their big problem is a return to normalcy, and sudden descent to the American dollar standard after their months on the Rhine as "mark millionaires."

Awaiting their discharge at Ft. Hamilton, the husbands—fifteen of them are fathers as well—are making plans for a radical change in their spending habits.

"Sure," said one of them, and he expressed the sentiments of his benedict buddies. "I'm glad to get back, me being a good American and all that. But we sure was sittin' pretty there on the Rhine. Nobody can say we were not sitting pretty, no sir. We were gettin' paid in American dollars, but we got it in marks—3,000 for a dollar. Sittin' on top of the world, I'll say. But sure, I'm glad to get back. It's good to see the states again. But of course, there'll be times when I'll think of that beer at half a cent a seidel and a full meal for ten cents." He pointed to his wife, a robust frau, flaxen haired and smiling.

"See that nifty dress," he asked. "Cost six bucks. The hat, one buck. Fur coat forty dollars. Yet, it's like that in Coblenz, and rents the same, and grub.

"But I'm glad enough to be back. But I might as well be honest about it. There's goin' to be times ——.

"But don't get me wrong. It's good to see the states again."

This Comes Near Being Whole Truth

(Ironton Register)

Jess Willard may not be championship timber at this particular writing but we have always entertained a serious doubt about Jack Dempsey's ability to beat him had he been in condition at Toledo. But the truth about the whole miserable mess of roughnecks is just this: They should all be made to take work of some kind and if they want to fight force them to fight for a purse of $50 at an admission fee of 10 cents. After the purse is paid devote the balance of the revenues to charity. The idea of paying a pug-ugly like Jack Dempsey $500,000 for an afternoon's work when we pay our president $75,000 per year is a sad reflection upon our intelligence and decency.

WEST END

Mr. and Mrs. Ramond Kellogg of 808 Washington street entertained a host of little folks at their home Saturday evening, February 10th, in honor of their daughter, Louise Frances' eighth birthday anniversary. The home was beautifully decorated and the guests enjoyed music and games, after which they were invited to the dining room, where a beautiful birthday cake with lighted candles was the center of attraction. Each place was marked with a kewpie. The hostess served ice cream, cake, candies and fruit to the following guests: Katherine Brown, Nancy Semmelbeck, Ruth, Reita and Norma Emmett, Bernedette Ford, Alma and Jean Welcher, Lollie Noel, the hostess, Louise Frances Kellogg, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Bilgang and Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg.

Mrs. Frank Tracy and daughter, Stella Marie, of Commercial, have returned home from a two days' visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John L. McIntire, 525 1-2 Second street.

Arthur Vernier of 218 1-2 Market street, is improving from grip, but his wife and son, Raymond Eugene, continue very ill.

Mrs. John Nelson of Fifth and Market streets is improving from an attack of rheumatism.

Isaac Shaw of Scioto street, was he fell on an icy sidewalk near his home. He suffered a dislocated shoulder.

Mrs. James Shively of 101 Front street and other members of her family, who have been suffering from grip, are improving.

Mrs. Reese Thompson of 218 1-2 Market street is seriously ill with flu. Her daughters, Mrs. Fred Miller and Mrs. Ella Cobb, are also ill.

Gus Clara, cook at the Doerr restaurant at 218 1-2 Market street, is ill with grip.

Margaret Turvey of 403 Court street left Saturday afternoon for a two weeks' visit to friends and relatives in Cincinnati, Ohio.

ODD EFFECT

Mittens of black velvet which are long enough to reach the elbow, are worn with a sleeveless black velvet gown by a celebrated French actress.

D. F. Peters Named As New Superintendent Here

Promotions officially announced Monday by the Norfolk and Western Railway are of especial interest here as they provide for the continued advancement of J. T. Carey, former superintendent of this division and H. C. Weller, who at present is in charge of this, the Scioto division. The changes which affect various officials all along the N. & W. are effective February 16.

H. C. Weller, who since January 1, 1918, has been in charge of the local division has been promoted to the superintendency of the western general division of the N. & W. with offices in Bluefield. He will succeed J. T. Carey, who has been advanced to the superintendency of the eastern general division of the N. & W. with offices in Roanoke. Mr. Carey's present headquarters are in Bluefield.

While Mr. Weller's legion of friends here will regret to learn that he will leave the city they will hasten to extend their congratulations over his splendid and merited promotion. Mr. Carey, who also goes a notch higher on the N. & W. ladder, formerly resided here and his promotion will be pleasing news to his many friends in Portsmouth. Both of these men are well known all along the N. & W. and are among this company's most valued employes.

D. F. Peters, who had been superintendent of the Norfolk division with offices in Crew, Va., has been advanced to superintendency of this division and will succeed Mr. Weller. He is no stranger here as he was trainmaster of the local division in 1913 and 1914 and was a valuable assistant to Supt. J. T. Carey. Mr. Peters is a thorough and competent railroad man and will continue the work where Mr. Weller leaves off.

J. E. Crawford, who has been the chief engineer of the N. & W. in Roanoke has been made assistant general manager of the N. & W. lines, this position having just been created. He is well known in Portsmouth.

W. P. Wiltsee, of Roanoke, has been named acting engineer, vice J. E. Crawford.

E. A. Blake, who has been general superintendent of the eastern general division of the N. & W. has been retired on a pension, having reached the age of 70 when all N. & W. officials are pensioned. Mr. Blake also is well known in Portsmouth as he was in charge of this division in 1909 and 1910.

A. S. Payne is the new superintendent of the Norfolk division with offices at Crew, Va. He was formerly located in Roanoke.

L. C. Ayers has been promoted to the superintendency of the Shenandoah division succeeding A. S. Payne. Mr. Ayres was formerly assistant superintendent of this division and had charge of the double tracking of the N. & W. from Kenova to Columbus.

W. L. Anglin is the new assistant superintendent of the Norfolk division, vice L. C. Ayres.

All men affected by the changes have been in the employ of the N. & W. for many years.

LEFT HAND BATTERS ARE SUPREME IN THE AMERICAN

For many years, or perhaps since baseball was in its infancy, the relative merits of right handed batters and those of southpaw swingers have been vehemently discussed.

And while many arguments in favor of both have been voiced time and time again, still it is generally accepted that the hitters who strike from the left side of the plate have a distinct edge in that their position in the batter's box gives them a good full step lead over that of the right handers.

Obviously, then, countless little infield taps are turned into base knocks that would mean sure putouts for the starboard gang.

The proof of the assertion that left-handed batters usually obtain higher batting percentages than do the right handers is borne out in the official averages of the American League for the 1922 season.

Of the 12 leading hitters, no less than nine of them take their "cuts" from the left side of the plate, with Sisler, Cobb and Speaker all southpaws, topping the list. Harry Heilmann of the Detroit Tigers, as was the case of 1921, led the right handers finishing fourth. Incidentally, Heilmann, swat king a year ago, is the only right-handed hitter to lead the Johnsonian loop in batting since 1905 when Lajoie turned the trick.

After Heilmann, in to 1922 averages, comes Miller, Athletics, right; Williams and Tobin, Browns, left; Pipp, Yankees, left; Veach, Detroit, left; Galloway, Athletics, right; Collins, Chicago, left, and Goslin, Washington, left, tied for tenth position.

Thus it would appear that left-handed batters, as a rule, have a marked advantage over their right hand rivals in that all-important dash down to first base.

Killed By Alcoholism

CLEVELAND— Edward Dennison, 60, and Michael Jones, 49, are dead, alcoholism being thought responsible.

SOCIETY

The Ladies of the Relief Society of the First Evangelical Church who have birthdays in January, February and March, will have a Valentine party and Kensington in the Sunday School room of the church on Tuesday afternoon at half after two o'clock. All members of the congregation and their friends are cordially invited to attend.

The Clio Club will meet tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Marguerite Dawson on Jackson street.

Mr. William M. Thomas of Columbus spent the week-end with relatives at Wakefield.

The morning musicale, which was to have been held tomorrow morning at the home of Mrs. Alan N. Jordan, on Court street, has been postponed until Wednesday of next week. This is the third of a series of illustrated lectures to be given by Prof. Elmer Ende under the auspices of the Ladies' Musicale.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl W. Baird and sons, Bobbie and Jimmie, motored down from Columbus Sunday afternoon for a few days' visit with their sisters, the Misses McCaffry, of 820 Waller street, and their son, Billie Baird, who has been spending the winter with his aunts.

The Clover Club will meet tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. N. B. Griffin on Fourth street.

C. & O. President Says Road Getting Better Day By Day In Every Way

HUNTINGTON, Feb. 12—"Every day in every way with apologies to Dr. Coue, this road is growing better and better," said W. J. Harahan, president of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway.

Optimism predominated in the drawing room of Mr. Harahan's private car when the president, together with G. B. Wall, vice president of the roads and F. M. Whittaker, member of the inspecting party that arrived here yesterday, to depart today was interviewed.

To borrow Dr. Coue's phrase in the best way I know, to express the way I feel about progress of the C. and O. lines, Mr. Harahan said, "The C. and O. is fast rounding into normal conditions and the next three months will see a decided improvement in motive power and transportation facilities."

A large number of new locomotives will be added to the motive power of the road during the next month. The new coal cars, box cars, and passenger coaches will be placed in commission within the next three months the president said.

Mr. Harahan expressed himself as feeling no doubt but what the recent transfer of control to the Vanswerlingen interests of Cleveland will mean a greatly bettered western outlet for the C. and O. lines.

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

IRONTON, O., Feb. 12—Albert G. Walk, charged with the shooting of George Bartram, entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of shooting with intent to kill when arraigned here. He was sent back to jail and will be given a preliminary hearing later.

Four New Managers Will Make Their Debut In Major Leagues This Season

Four new faces will be seen among the various big league managers, over those of a year ago, when the 16 major league clubs start their annual invasion into southern climes within the next six weeks or so.

Art Fletcher, Phillies, and Bill McKechnie, Pittsburgh, of the National loop, and Frank Chance, Boston, and Owen Bush, Washington, of the American, are the quartet referred to.

Of the other dozen, Connie Mack is the pioneer, having led the Athletics on 22 previous campaigns, or ever since Philadelphia came into the Johnsonian circuit back in 1901. McGraw of the Giants is right behind with 20 seasons to his credit, while the rest have been piloting their respective clubs at least two campaigns.

And of the 16, five have acted in a similar capacity for other major league outfits, while Huggins of the Yankees, Chance of Boston, and Rickey, Cardinals, have led teams in both circuits in their careers.

Most of the present day pilots have long since laid aside their playing uniforms, being content to give their orders from the bench. In fact, Cobb, Speaker and Fletcher are the only regular player-managers though Bush may decide to get into some of his team's games this season.

One odd feature in regard to the men who guide the destinies of the major league clubs concerns Connie Mack. In all the years that the elongated manager has piloted the Athletics, he has never appeared on the bench in a uniform. Mack comes to the ball yard in his regular citizen's regalia, and reposes in the dugout in the same outfit.

President And Senate Chiefs Confer On Ship Bill

WASHINGTON, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Further White House conferences were arranged today to develop more definite plans for preventing a conflict in the senate between the shipping and British debt funding bills during the three weeks of congress remaining for consideration of these and other important measures yet to be disposed of.

President Harding is understood to have advised tentatively against displacing the shipping bill for the debt bill at a conference yesterday. A more definite program was expected to result from conferences today between the president and party leaders.

In order that such a course might not imperil debt legislation, senate leaders were preparing a program for this week contemplating concurrent consideration of this with the ship bill. This involved the prospect of night sessions.

Although the pending proposal by Senator Jones for a unanimous consent agreement to limit debate on the shipping bill beginning February 16 was expected to fail when it came up today, administration leaders were planning other moves to prick the deadlock. Opponents also had several moves in contemplation to block it.

ASPIRES TO NEW HONOR

Harry Heilmann, hard-hitting right fielder of the Detroit Tigers and American League batting champion in 1921, aspires to new honor. The big Californian is now seeking the nations handball title. And Harry's in earnest, too.

One of the old time handballers recently paid Heilmann a nice compliment after watching the Tiger in action. "Keep your eyes on that big fellow in national matches in the future," he said. "He is playing a wonderful game and can stack up right now with the best men in the country." And coming from a veteran of the sport, that's praise aplenty.

GREEK PRAISES LINCOLN AND PERICLES; CHAMPIONS DEMOCRACY

CHICAGO, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Abraham Lincoln and Pericles were linked as the "greatest champions of democracy the world has ever known," by P. S. Lambros, publisher of the Greek Star of Chicago, in an address prepared for delivery today at the Hamilton Club's observance of the one hundred and fourteenth anniversary of the birth of the emancipator.

"Lincoln's birthday is a lesson that teaches us to be more patriotic, better Americans, to 'let us have faith to believe that right is might and firm in that conviction, let us to the end, dare to do our duty as God gives us to see it.'"

Mr. Lambros said, after telling of his arrival in America 33 years ago:

"The duty to our country, the value of Americanism, the devotion to our religion, no matter what it is, and the true spirit of love to mankind, have been expressed in the above quotation of Abraham Lincoln."

He declared that the Gettysburg address, translated in all languages, is universally known as the greatest lamentation in history and that although it is in a class by itself, historical records showed another notable funeral oration delivered in Athens by Pericles two thousand years ago. In his study the speaker said it was not his intention to compare Lincoln and Pericles, but the striking similarity in the two orations, one representing the glory that was Greece's and the other "the glory that is America's."

"In making a comparison of both men, we can safely say that Pericles was the originator of democracy and Lincoln was the perfector," he said.

"Both speeches were funeral orations, delivered to inspire Democracy. Pericles' funeral oration stands as the old testament of democracy, while Lincoln's Gettysburg address stands as the gospel of democracy.

"It was the ambition of Pericles to abolish slavery and oligarchy.

"Lincoln, the great American, believed that all men were born equal. Pericles said 'as regards the laws of Athens, all enjoy equality.'

"When Pericles was called upon to address the Athenians, to pay tribute to the dead heroes, he commenced his funeral oration by saying: 'I will begin with our ancestors; our fathers inherited a country with everything, so as to be the most self-sufficient, both both for peace and for war.'

"Quoting Lincoln, we note 'our fathers brought forth on this continent a new nation, conceived in liberty.'

"Aside from the addresses delivered by both great men, they have the same philosophical similarity in other speeches. Lincoln said 'I am not bound to win, but I am bound to be true.'

Pericles said: 'Where the greatest prizes of virtue are given, there also the most virtuous men are to be found among the citizens.'"

Varied ceremonies marked commemoration here of Lincoln's anniversary. Civil war veterans held memorial services under supervision of the Grand Army. Among the speakers was Addison G. Proctor, of Michigan, believed to be the only living survivor of the nominating convention that named Lincoln for presidfent in 1860.

Canada To Hang Two Women For Murder

Two Canadian women are to be hanged soon for murder. The first to mount the gallows will be Mrs. Florence Lassandra, who is to die in Alberta on February 21 for complicity in the murder of a peace officer. Mrs. Irene May Christensen, of Dapp, Alberta, is under sentence to die on April 4 for the murder, last September, of her husband.

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She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Dolly—Would like for you to name all the townships in Scioto county and also give me the population of the county. M. N.

The townships of Scioto county include Clay, Nile, Harden, Morgan, Brush Creek, Union, Rush, Washington, Valley, Jefferson Madison, Harrison, Green, Porter, Bloom, and Wayne, which includes Portsmouth. The 1910 census gives Scioto county a population of 48,468, but Portsmouth has almost doubled itself since that time, so the county has a population of approximately 60,000 more or less.

Dear Dolly—What do you think of a man, who was a former sweetheart of a girl, who will destroy her happiness and peace of mind by forcing his attentions on her after she is married to another? He had a chance of winning her once and did not do it and now he is trying to break up her home and separate her and her husband. I feel that there should be some way of getting even with a man like that. I think his wife should know what kind of a man he is. He should be made to feel a few of the heartaches he has caused others to feel. Please print this that others may take warning and not be deceived by flattering tips and their happiness destroyed.

DISGUSTED READER

A man like that should be punished, of course, but I think the girl could put a stop to his attentions before they ever got started if she wanted to. There is no reason on earth why she should be heckled by him even if she did go with him, or was engaged to him. That chapter of her life should be closed, so far as the other man was concerned, and it would not take me long to tell him so. I would sit him down so hard, he would not be able to get up for awhile.

Dear Dolly—I would like to know how one can get their name in the society columns of The Times. Dolly, I see so many names in the paper that I would like to have mine in once in awhile if I knew how to go about it. I am just as important as some of the people who are always advertising themselves, but I have never yet seen my name in print. Please explain this to me. I have taken The Times for many years, and like it very much.

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It doesn't require much of an effort to get your name in the paper. All you have to do is to take down the receiver on your telephone and ask for 840 or 33 and tell the reporter at the other end that you are going somewhere or coming back, had a party, or visitors, got married, took the flu and died or what-not, and he or she will do the rest. Every society editor is desirous of printing all the legitimate news of her subscription field. That is the object of the social column. But unfortunately we are partly human—at least we are molded in human form—and do not possess a dozen pairs of hands and feet, or eyes or ears for the collection of this vast fund of information. That is one reason why you and everyone else should report what you know to keep us informed of the doings of yourself and family, of your friends and your neighbors. It is the only way to make the society pages or pages worth while and newsy. Tell it to the editor—and she'll tell it to others—if it is tellable.

Dear Dolly—I have red hair and brown eyes and a fair complexion and I would like to know what colors would look best on me. People tell me I should not wear fighting colors.

RED HEAD

You should wear colors that will throw your hair into relief, such as blue, green or black; shades of brown and tan are very becoming to some red-haired people, also gray and mauve.

Dear Dolly—My son-in-law and daughter stay with me and they do not want to pay any board. My husband and I are getting old and we haven't much ourselves and I do not think we should keep an able-bodied man and his wife. If he did not want to keep a wife he had no right to marry her. Dolly, don't you think they should go to housekeeping?

HER MOTHER

Yes, I think they should go to housekeeping, or help you out by paying their board, and you should insist on them doing this. Don't nag and quarrel about it, just deliver an ultimatum to that effect, and they will sit up and take notice.

Dearest Dolly—I am a young man of twenty and I'm very strong on anything loud. Now, Dolly, once I took a girl to the moving picture show and she sat and laughed right out at everything she saw. I pinched her and told her to keep her mouth shut. Now, Dolly, this was the only girl I ever took to a show and as I am not much for that loud stuff, it made me very ashamed and I swore if I ever got out I'd be particular who I took again. Dolly, do you think she does not love me after all that?

PROUD WILLIE

If she ever loved you, I suppose a little thing like calling her down for laughing too loud would not have any effect on her. However, if there was anything to laugh at in the show, I don't blame her for laughing. That is what we go to shows for—to find something to amuse us. There is no use going around with a long face all the time, especially this cold weather, because it might freeze that way. Maybe yours has already frozen. A merry ha! ha! would do you good, so tickle yourself and get busy.

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SOCIAL NEWS

The meeting of the Martha Washington Club, which was to have met this Thursday at the home of Mrs. John S. Grimm, on Highland avenue, has been postponed until Thursday of next week on account of illness in the Grimm family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Stevens and son Edward, of Fifth street, have returned from a few days' visit in Cincinnati.

Miss Gladys Lemon's Sunday School Class of the Second Presbyterian church will meet this evening at the home of the Misses Georgia and Edna Jacobs, 1531 Twelfth street. Business of importance demands a full attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilby Scherer (Geraldine Hyland) a bride and groom of recent date, entertained a few Ironton friends of the groom at their farm home, Haverhill, Thursday evening. Their guests included Frank and Don Weiteki, H. C. Ketter, Will Schleiter, Clarence Goldcamp, Thomas Erskin, Julius Brunberg, Eddie O'Neill, J. Howard Lynd, Herb Lynd, Ab Wilby, Bill and Dick Scherer.

Mrs. Wilbur Smith has returned from a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Lawrence Hill, of Ironton.

Mrs. Emmett McKeown of Ironton has gone to St. Petersburg, Florida, to visit her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Richey, who are spending the winter there.

Mrs. Lowell Blake and daughter, Joan of Sinton street, have returned from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hoertel in Ironton.

Mrs. E. E. Hacquard of Gallia street will entertain the Sciotoville Bridge Club Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Becker and son, Gentry, of the Grimes Apartments, Second and Gay streets, who have been ill, are improving.

Mrs. Mary Hicks and daughter, Miss Eloise Hicks, have moved from Ninth street to 505 Offnere street.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Second Presbyterian church will meet at the church tomorrow afternoon, at 2:00 p. m., in the Primary Room. The devotionals and prayer calendar will be given by Mrs. Charles Zull. The treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Bothwell, will give her report. Group leader, Mrs. C. E. Dowling. Assistant hostesses, Mrs. J. N. Ellison, Mrs. Albert Patton, Mrs. Alexander Littlejohn, Mrs. C. C. Bothwell, Mrs. Henry Scott, Mrs. Carlos Pyles, Mrs. H. A. Wright and Mrs. C. W. G. Hannah. A good attendance is desired, as there will be election of officers.

James Grimm, young son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Grimm of Highland avenue will have his tonsils and adenoids removed tomorrow morning at the Hempstead Hospital.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lintz of Lucasville was the scene of a pretty party recently when a number of relatives gathered to celebrate the seventy-seventh birthday anniversary of Mr. Lintz. He received many useful and beautiful gifts. Among those who were present were Mr. and Mrs. Ira M'rm, Mr. and Mrs. John Philips Lintz and children, Cecil and Gertrude, Mr. and Mrs. William Lintz and son Jack, Mrs. Oscar Clark and children, Firman and Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Munn and children, Paul and Mildred, Mr. and Mrs. Albert McClerg and son Aubry and daughter Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Lackett and daughter Charlotte, Mrs. Jessie Huston and son Lawrence.

Group 2—3 of Trinity Ladies' Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Harry Eichorn, 1820 Sixth street. The meeting was originally planned for Thursday afternoon and all members are asked to note the change in time and be present at the meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Bein of Franklin Boulevard returned yesterday afternoon from New York City, where Mrs. Bein has been enjoying a delightful five weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Schapiro, at their palatial home on Riverside Drive. Mr. Bein joined her for their silver wedding anniversary, which they celebrated on January 21 at the home of her parents. Mr. Herbert Bein of this city and Miss Florence Bein, a student of the musical department at Columbia University, was also present. Miss Bein played the same wedding march that was used at the marriage of her parents, twenty-five years ago.

The celebration opened with an elaborate dinner for the members of the immediate family at six o'clock. This was followed by a large reception for their relatives and many friends in New York City. The Schapiro home, which is one of the handsomest on Riverside Drive, was beautifully decorated for the occasion with a profusion of gorgeous American Beauty roses sent the honor guests by their friends and relatives. Among the handsomest of these was a basket from their two sons, Seymour and Norris Bein, who were unable to be present at the celebration. Mr. and Mrs. Bein also received many congratulatory telegrams from friends in this city and elsewhere.

They were also showered with many pieces of handsome silver in honor of the happy occasion.

Miss Mattie Dot Dillon of Lexington, Ky., has accepted a position as stenographer at Marting's. She will make her home with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Sheets of Twenty-Eighth street.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Trinity church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:15 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. J. H. Fulton, 1826 Baird avenue. The assistant hostesses will be Mrs. Rosa Mick, Mrs. J. B. Frostick, Mrs. Frank Hawkins, Mrs. Elmer Knost, Mrs. A. A. Wilson, Mrs. John M. Stockham, Mrs. Niles King, Mrs. G. D. Jenkins, Mrs. Jack Hartlage and Mrs. Charles Heid. The devotionals will be in charge of Mrs. Charles Rice. A splendid program has been arranged for the occasion and all members are urged to be present.

Group One of Trinity Ladies Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mary Newman 870 John Street. All members are urged to be present.

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The engagement of Miss Katherine Hall, beautiful young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Hall, of 1321 Second street, and Mr. Varner Altsman, only son of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Altsman of Lincoln street, was announced Saturday afternoon at an exquisitely appointed luncheon given by Miss Helen Dawson at her home on Jackson street. The guests at this charming affair included the members of the Whirligig Club, of which Miss Hall is a popular member.

The table was adorned with the prevailing colors, white and pink, the lights above being shaded with pink bells, from which ribbons and myriads of tiny hearts were suspended. As the honor guest was seated, the hostess pulled an overhead ribbon loosing a shower of rice and confetti and the engagement ring. Following the attractive three course luncheon, the guests took places for bridge, and later were joined for tea, served at four o'clock, by Mrs. Charles Hall, mother of the honor-guest; Mrs. Walkins Kearns, Mrs. W. B. Altsman and Mrs. J. Leigh Watkins Jr.

Miss Edna Hauck was holder of the first score, receiving first favor, and Mrs. Earl Clayton received second prize.

The members of the Whirligig Club present were Mrs. Glen Edwards, Mrs. Earl Clayton and guest, Mrs. Charles Pirrung, of Williamson, W. Va.; Mrs. Edna Hauck, Alice Vincent, Thelma Rickey and guest, Miss Anne Suttlemayer of Lexington, Ky.

Miss Hall is one of the most popular and beloved members of the younger society set, and after graduating from the Portsmouth High School, she finished her education at the Colonial School for Girls, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Varner is also quite popular with a wide circle of friends, and since his training at Massanutten Military Academy, Virginia and Culver Military Academy, Culver, Indiana, he has been identified with the Selby Shoe Company.

The wedding will be one of the brilliant social events of the early spring.

L. A. of the B. of R. C. Buckeye Pride 558 will hold their monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock in Dunn's Hall on Gallia St. All members are urged to be present.

Group Five of Trinity Ladies Aid Society will meet on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Ella Jackson, 1532 Ninth Street. Mrs. George Staten will be the assistant hostess.

The ladies of Group Five of the Eastern Stars will entertain with a card party Tuesday afternoon on the sixth floor of the Masonic Temple.

There will be tables for bridge and five hundred, and tickets will sell for 25 cents. Club groups are especially invited. The committee in charge includes Mrs. R. K. Smith, Mrs. George Oakes, Mrs. Lillian Plymale and Mrs. W. B. Hitchcock.

The Minerva Kensington Club will meet Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Banfield, 1516 Robinson Avenue.

The Young Women's Home Mission Circle of Trinity Church will meet this evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at the home of the Misses Pauline and Bess Mick, 1721 Baird Avenue. The assistant hostesses will be Mrs. O. C. Bennett, Mrs. E. T. Knost, Mrs. Carl Chandler and Mrs. Newton Rice. Miss Beatrice Stewart will be the devotional leader.

The members of the Joseph Spencer Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution will have with them at the meeting tomorrow evening at the home of the regent, Mrs. Joseph S. Rardin on Gallia and Waller Streets, Miss Edith Buerkle, an entertainer from the Schuster-Martin School of Expression, who will give a program of readings. Several musical numbers will also be rendered by local talent. The assistant hostesses will be Mrs. A. E. Everard, Mrs. J. A. Booker, Mrs. James S. Thomas, Miss Isabel Kinney, Miss Anna Ball and Miss Helen Rardin.

The Judge Blair Bible Class of the Second Presbyterian Church will meet on Monday evening for a winter picnic at six o'clock at the church.

A business meeting will held following the supper. Mrs. Harry Meisler, Mrs. Ben Rhodes, Mrs. A. C. Williams, Mrs. W. L. Tracy, Mrs. Bertha Blood, Mrs. William Nageleisen, Mrs. J. M. Hennessy and Miss Mary Helt compose the committee in charge.

A Valentine box will be a feature of the evening and each member is asked to bring a Valentine.

Mrs. Adolph Reinert will be hostess to the members of the White Shrine Club at her home, 1821 Eighteenth street, Thursday evening. The assistant hostesses will be Mrs. J. W. Jenkins and Mrs. Lamar Bailey.

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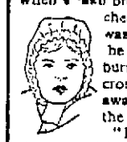

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BACK to the Fairy Queens palace went Nancy and Nick, their Green Shoes whizzing them through the air like little airplanes.

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"Here they are, Your Highness," said he, scraping a bow.

"Oh, I am so glad!" exclaimed the royal lady quickly. "Children, I want you to do something for me. There is a queer corner of my kingdom called Mix-Up-Land. It's called that because everything is mixed up. And the reason for it is a long story.

"Mix-Up Land used to be called Apple-Pie Land because everything was as orderly as apple pie. The ruler was called King Even Steven because he liked everything as even and neat as possible.

"But someone was jealous of him. It was a poor cobbler called Jack Straw. One day Jack Straw was called to sole some shoes for Eena Meena, the Magician, and he did it so well and Eena Meena was so pleased he gave him a ring. 'Take this, Jack,' said he, 'and whenever you put it on your left thumb, anything you dislike will change at once and be mixed up. It may make you powerful!'

"'Ha!' cried Jack Straw. 'Thanks, Your Graciousness. I'll go home at once and make myself king, for I'll wish everything in Apple-Pie Land to be changed. I'll call it Mix-Up Land. I'll be King Jack Straw.'

"And now!" continued the Fairy Queen, "I want you Twins to go and get that ring off Jack Straw's left thumb, so that poor King Even Steven may have his throne again and the poor country be set to rights.

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The Community Chorus will meet this evening at seven o'clock in the Sunday School room of the Second Presbyterian church. A report on the tickets for the last concert will be made at this meeting, and all members are urged to be present.

The New Century Club will meet Friday afternoon in the K. of P. hall, Fourth and Washington streets.

The meeting of the executive committee of the Women's City Club, scheduled for this evening, has been postponed until a later date, the time to be announced later.

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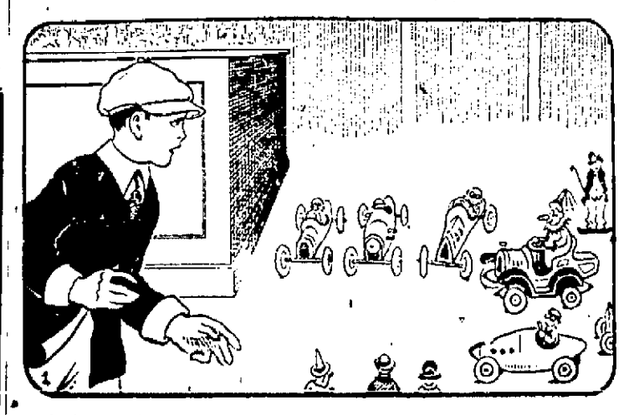
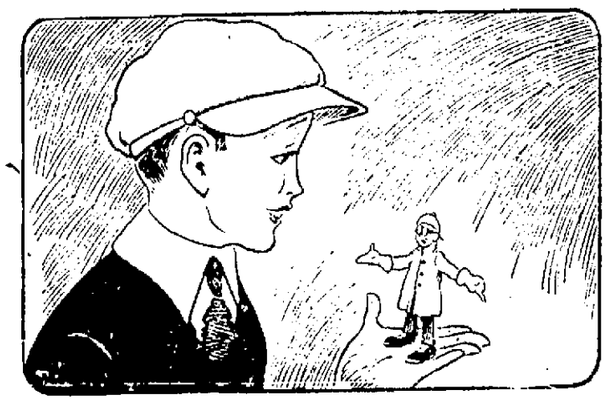
JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES

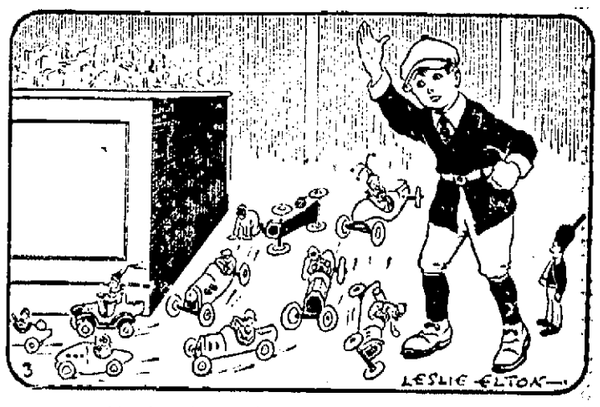
BY ELTON



Jack turned to watch the sideway back of him. Every second he was expecting to see the little racing toy autos appear in the home stretch of the thrilling race. And then they came! Only three out of the original dozen that had started. The rest of the cars had turned over or gone the wrong way.



Amid the shouts of all of the dolls a little red auto whizzed past the finish mark and won the race. As the driver hopped out of the car Jack grabbed him and shook his hand. "That was a fine victory," said Jack. And the little driver smiled and replied, "Oh, thank you very much, indeed."



Just at this time Jack noticed there were several wooden soldiers forming nearby and preparing to march away. "Where are you going?" he asked the captain. "Down to our fort where he will join the rest of the soldiers and have a drill," came the reply. And off they marched. (Continued.)

Ash Wednesday At All Saints' Church

The Lenten season at All Saints' church will be thoroughly observed as in former years. On Wednesday next, Ash Wednesday, the first service will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 7:00 a. m. for the benefit of those who cannot attend the later service. At 10:00 a. m. there will be a second celebration of the Eucharist. At 7:30 in the evening, the Rector will conduct a service of Litany and Penitential Office with a suitable address. All these services will be held in the church.

If there was ever a time when this sacred season with all its opportunities for prayer and penitence was needed it is surely now. Church people are going to make full use of their Lent this year. Begin your Lent well by attending your church morning and evening on Ash Wednesday. There are many who cannot be with you this year. It is your duty and privilege to remember them before God and to pray that they may share with you the joy of Eastertide. The services on Wednesday will be the only services this week. The Rector will announce other services on Sunday next. Those who have been thinking about attending confirmation classes are reminded that the Bishop will administer this sacrament on Passion Sunday, the fifth Sunday in Lent and, are requested to speak to the Rector about this important matter at once.

Many Certificates Sold In Lucasville

Postmaster Appel announced today that during the month of January the sale of Treasury Savings Certificates at the Lucasville post office amounted to $2925.

"A very large percentage of the January sales were due to the fact that owners of 1918 War Savings Stamps, believing in the financial soundness of the government, exchanged their holdings of these stamps for Treasury Savings Certificates" Postmaster Appel declared. "In addition, many such owners added substantial amounts in cash for additional certificates," the postmaster further stated.

TERMINAL CHURCH NEWS

The Ladies Aid Society will meet for work on Wednesday afternoon. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the church. Let us have good attendance.

Cottage prayer meeting will be held on Tuesday and Friday evening. The meeting Tuesday evening will be held at the home of Harmon Veneer. Everybody welcome.

The Junior League will have a valentine Party in the church basement Tuesday evening from 6 to 8 o'clock.

Masons Approve Plans For New Home

At a recent meeting of Aurora Lodge No. 48, F. and A. M. the general plans for the new Masonic Temple to go up on Gallia street at a cost of over $400,000 were approved.

Some members discussed the possibility of enlarging the size of the stage in the big auditorium and this suggestion will be taken under advisement by the building committee. Plans for the new structure are on file in the office of Secretary John Ives and in the club rooms.

TRINITY LODGE IS INSPECTED

Trinity Lodge No. 9, Free and Accepted Masons, was recently inspected by Harrison L. Adams of Urbana, Right Worshipful District Grand Lecturer of the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M. of Ohio. The Entered Apprentice Degree was conferred upon one candidate and the lodge was also inspected in the Master's Degree. It was complimented by the Grand Lecturer for the excellent exemplification of the work. The present elective officers of Trinity Lodge are:

Philip M. Watts, Worshipful Master.

Berry Laney, Senior Warden.

Henry Deering, Junior Warden.

W. J. Dixon, Treasurer.

H. W. Waller, Secretary.

Trinity Lodge No. 9, F. & A. M., is one of the oldest lodges extant in the Masonic jurisdiction, being chartered August 21, 1872, at Cleveland, Ohio, at which communication of the Grand Lodge, the celebrated Wm. T. Boyd was Grand Master and Wm. H. Parham, his Deputy. The charter of Trinity Lodge, therefore, bears the signatures of two of the most distinguished Free Masons of the Prince Hall lineage.

However, there are about seventeen lodges extant in this jurisdiction that are older than Trinity Lodge No. 9. In the early days when lodges became extinct or withdrew to form Grand Lodges in other states, new lodges were given the same numbers on the Grand Lodge Register to fill the vacancies. In that way Trinity Lodge No. 8 in 1872 was given the number of Fulton Lodge No. 9 of Memphis, Tennessee, which had withdrawn in 1869 to assist in the formation of the Grand Lodge of Tennessse.

IRONTON GRAND JURY PROBES SLAYING OF JOHN JOHNSON BY SHERIFF'S POSSE

IRONTON, O., Feb. 12—The Lawrence county grand jury today started an investigation of the killing at South Point December 23, of John Johnson by a sheriff's party searching for liquor, which led to the filing of first degree murder charges against officials in the raiding party.

Johnson was shot and instantly killed by Sheriff C. W. Dement, who asserted the former had him "covered" with a loaded shotgun. With Dement was County Prosecutor W. L. Elkins and Special Deputies Alf Mannon and O. M. Elkins. The dead man's father swore to affidavits charging each of the four with first degree murder.

Work of the jury is being directed by Attorney P. C. Booth, appointed assistant county prosecutor by Judge Layne of the common pleas court, who ruled prosecutor Elkins could not act in investigation of a charge against him.

The jury is composed of some of the most prominent business me in Ironton, including four merchants, a banker, a manufacturer and the managing editor of a daily newspaper.

On The Mend

Oscar Fisher, who has been ill with grip for two weeks, is on the mend.

Woman Congressman Takes Office Oath

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12—Mrs. Mae Ellen Nolan of San Francisco, became a member of the house of representatives today, taking the oath of office as successor to her late husband, John I. Nolan. She is the third woman member of the present congress, but her election also was to next house of which she is now the only woman member-elect. Miss Alice Robertson of Oklahoma and Mrs. Winifred Mason Huck of Illinois will retire with the ending of this session.

Mrs. Nolan is the first woman that California has sent to congress. In a formal statement after taking the oath, she said she would repay the confidence shown in her by "cheerful and untiring service."

To Meet Tuesday

The Exchange Club will meet in regular weekly session at the Mary Louise Tuesday night and every member is urged to be present.

To Attend Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Glockner, of Sixth street left Monday for Columbus where they will spend a few days before going on to Cleveland to attend the annual meeting of the Ohio Hardware Dealers Association.

Piketon Visitor

Mack Miles, Piketon butcher, was a business visitor to Portsmouth Monday.

Duelists In Court

WHITESBURG, KY., Feb. 12—Mason Combs, alleged to have fired several shots at Mrs. Alex Stacey across Carr's Fork creek west of here after challenging her to a duel to settle an argument, is to be tried in a magistrate's court here tomorrow.

Mrs. Stacey, who swore to a warrant for Combs told of going to the bank of the creek unarmed to meet her opponent. She charged that he fired at her several times before she went to her home and obtained a rifle. Then, she claimed, Combs fled.

In the meantime, Mrs. Stacey said, her husband was at home attending the baby.

Town Feels Earth Shock

BELLINGHAM, WASH., Feb. 12—A distinct earth shock believed to have been caused by an earthquake, was felt here about 10:30 this morning, according to reports from many parts of the city. Plaster was broken in some of the downtown buildings.

Will Attend Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Appel and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Glockner of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. George E. Koch of Wheelersburg leave early Tuesday for Cleveland where they will attend the twenty-ninth annual convention of the Hardware Dealers Association of Ohio to be held February 13-16 at the Hollenden Hotel. The hardware exhibit will be in the big auditorium recently completed.

Little Girl Burned

Louis Adams [illegible] year old daughter of Mrs. Kelly P. Adams of [illegible] Third street, suffered a badly [illegible] hand Saturday night when she fell at the home of Hugh H. [illegible] Fourth Street. The girl tripped on a carpet and to [illegible] her body from [illegible] the stove stuck out her [illegible] which touched the top of the [illegible] Dr. W. H. Gault [illegible] Martin attended the girl, who [illegible] much pain.

Hand Is Cut

Richard Rudosky, an employe of the [illegible] Lumber Company was [illegible] at Mercy hospital [illegible] for severe cuts on his hand which he sustained [illegible] some broken glass. He lives in Rosedown.

Has The Grip

Mrs. James Newman of [illegible] who has been spending several weeks here is very ill [illegible]

Geraldine Personally Verified Her Charges Of Misconduct

NEW YORK, February 12—(By the Associated Press)—Geraldine Farrar, former Metropolitan Opera star, took the witness stand today in her suit for divorce from her actor-husband, Lou Tellegen, and testified that she had "personally verified" the charges of misconduct alleged in her petition. Asked if she condoned his actions, she replied crisply "no."

The diva testified less than two minutes, most of which she spent in saying "yes" and "no" to technical questions put by her lawyer and the referee.

Arthur Schwartz, counsel for Tellegen, who is playing in the west, did not cross-examine her. He told reporters after the hearing that it was Tellegen's wish.

"You know what Tellegen said," he commented, quoting the actor's published attitude—"let the lady get her divorce!"

Miss Farrar arrived at the referee's office shortly after 11 o'clock. She was accompanied by Alvin Untermyer, her lawyer, and a private detective. She wore a broad tail coat with chinchilla collar and was heavily veiled.

Miss Farrar's attitude toward reporters appeared to have undergone a change. After a conference with Referee Mahoney, her lawyer, and Tellegen's attorney announced there was no objection to the presence of reporters and a group of newspaper men who had been waiting in the hall were admitted to the hearing.

Storm Sweeps The Pacific Coast; Temperature Drops

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Feb. 12—A storm marked by every characteristic of extreme winter weather from below zero temperatures to mile a minute gales is sweeping the Pacific coast today from the "Cradle of Storms" south of the Aleautian Islands, to the plateau regions west of Denver, prostrating wire communication and crippling train service.

Northwest and northeast gales sweeping in from seaward at the mouth of the Columbia river and off the coast of Washington, snapped off scores of telephone and telegraph poles between Medford and Portland, Ore., and piled up great snow drifts across railroad tracks and highways. Farther south, blizzard-like swirls of the great torm felled wire lines in the high Sierras. Snow flurries, sharp winds swept Utah and Wyoming.

It was snowing heavily in Walla Walla and Spokane, Washington and southeast Idaho, with the probability of a great widening out of both the snow and rain areas tonight. At the northern most tip of the storm, far into Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia the temperature dropped to 30 below zero, while at the southern most apex in southern California there were copious rains.

Salaries Paid Oil Chiefs Run Into Big Figures

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12—(By the A. P.)—Salaries running into five figures are paid by the leading oil companies of the country to their chief officials it was disclosed today through publication in part of the proceedings of the senate subcommittee which has been investigating the oil industry.

All the companies under examination by the subcommittee were required to present a detailed list of all officials and employes paid more than $50,000 a year, the committee holding over the protest of the companies "that such information should be given as it is part of the expense of the business that the public has to pay."

The figures as to salaries in practically all cases were submitted by mail after the company officials had completed their testimony. The proceedings made public today contain the salaries of officials of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, the Standard Oil Company of New York, the Prairie Oil and Gas Company; the Magnolia Petroleum Company and the Midwest Refining Company.

The Standard of N. J. is shown to lead these companies with respect to salaries having six officials who receive $100,000 or more a year and five others who get between $50,000 and $100,000. A. C. Bedford, chairman of the board, and Walter C. Teagle, president each receive $125,000 a year and the four vice presidents, each in charge of a special department of the company's business—F. H. Bedford, F. D. A. Hunt and G. H. Jones are paid $100,000 annually.

Other salaries paid by the Standard Oil of N. J., of $50,000 or more are given as follows:

J. A. Moffet, director in charge of marine matters, $85,000; E. M. Clark, and C. G. Black, directors in joint charge of manufacturing $50,000 each E. J. Sadlet, director in charge of crude oil production $50,000 and G. W. Mayer, director in joint charge of domestic sales $50,000.

P. C. Folger as president of the Standard of New York is paid $100,000 by his company. The three vice presidents are paid as follows:

H. L. Pratt $60,000; C. F. Mayer, $50,000 and H. E. Cole, $47,500 and the secretary C. M. Higgins, gets $82,500. L. I. Thomas, a director of the New York company is listed as receiving $49,000. H. A. Wilkinson, another director $37,500 and F. S. Fales, a director and president of the Standard Transportation Company of Delaware, a subsidiary, $32,500.

Salaries of officials of the Magnolia Petroleum Company, a subsidiary of the Standard of N. Y., as listed include John Seeley, president $31,800 and E. R. Brown, vice president, $34,800. H. M. Blackmeyer, chairman of the Midwest Refining Company is shown to get $21,000 a year. T. A. Dines, president $30,000 and J. D. Clark and R. S. Ellison, vice presidents $24,000 and $20,000 respectively.

The highest salary paid by the Prairie Oil and Gas Company is given as $50,000 to its president J. E. O'Neill. N. K. Moody, vice president receives $31,000; W. S. Fitzpatrick, vice president $20,000 and D. K. Kelsey assistant to the president $20,000. Figures as to the salaries of officials of oil companies are expected to be made public through receipt of additional testimony within [illegible] week.

Seventy Bodies Found

[illegible] N. M., Feb. 12—The [illegible] removing the bodies of [illegible] in the explosion [illegible] mine No. [illegible] owned by the Phelps [illegible] Corporation, probably will not [illegible] week, according [illegible] Manager W. [illegible] Brown. [illegible] to be found [illegible] living and seventy dead having been taken out [illegible]

[illegible] so far recovered, all [illegible] identified and many [illegible] yesterday.

Bake Sale

The Ladies Aid Society of Varley Chapel will hold a bake sale Saturday [illegible] 9 A. M. in the [illegible] grocery Robinson av. [illegible] and [illegible] street.

BIRTHS

Attorney John F. Johnley burned up several gallons of gasoline running about town in his flivver Sunday spreading the news among his friends. He was presented with twins, a girl and a boy, by his wife early Sunday morning, and the genial barrister was so proud of the event that he shouted it from the house tops. The infants arrived at Mercy Hospital early Sunday morning.

A son was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brown of Ashland, who formerly resided here.

Mr. Bein Home

Seymour H. Bein, has returned from New York, where he bought goods for the Portsmouth Dry Goods Co.

Ill With Pneumonia

Bobbie, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McAdams of 1914 Nineteenth street is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Grip Victim

Mrs. Thomas Wills of Tenth street is ill with grip.

SOCIETY

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Mary Beaumont, charming young daughter of Mrs. Mattie Beaumont of 1309 Kinney street and Mr. Anthony A. Koenigsman of Cincinnati, which took place in St. Xavier's church, that city Saturday morning, February 10th. Mr. and Mrs. Koenigsman will make their future home in Cincinnati. The groom is well known in this city as he was formerly employed as advertising manager and window trimmer with the Portsmouth Dry Goods company, which position he held for several years. Later he was employed in the same capacity at Kline's department store on Gallia street. He is a popular and ambitious young man and made many friends during his residence in Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graf of Third street delightfully entertained recently a coterie of relatives and friends in honor of Mrs. Graf's birthday anniversary. The afternoon was spent with music and social chat, after which the guests were invited to the dining room where a delicious six o'clock turkey dinner with all its trimmings was served. A beautiful birthday cake adorned the center of the table and covers were laid for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graf, honor guests; Mr. Edward Knittel, Miss May Knittel, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brandel, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mooter and sons James and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mohl, recent bride and groom. Later Mr. Earl Chandler and Miss Ruth Craig meles joined the party. The evening was spent playing games of five hundred. After which the guests departed with many happy wishes for the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason of 1042 Fifteenth street entertained Sunday with a delicious dinner for the pleasure of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Newman of Cleveland, who are visiting with relatives in the city.

Covers were laid for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. James Newman, Mr. Ben Platt of Friendship, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Girod and daughters Rea and Mary Margaret of Boundary street, Budd Platt of Third street, Percy Schieip, Eldon Stroud, and Misses Helen and Hazel Taylor. The afternoon's pleasures were piano, victrola music, and social chat.

A wedding involving much interest and one that will come as a pleasant surprise to their many friends, was solemnized Saturday evening at the parsonage of the First Evangelical church; when Miss Helen Bender became the bride of Mr. Homer Sheets. The ceremony was performed at seven o'clock by the pastor, Rev. Samuel Lindenmeyer. Miss Clara Bender was the only attendant. The bride, who is a pretty and charming young girl, was attired in an attractive spring suit of dark blue Poriet Twill with smart spring hat and other accessories of a contrasting shade.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheets have deferred their wedding trip until a later date and will make their home for the present with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bender, of 731 Seventh street.

Mr. Sheets is employed in the money order department of the local post-office and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Sheets of Seventeenth and Waller streets.

Irvin Gehres was a week-end visitor in Chillicothe.

St. Mary's High School Orchestra will present a musical entertainment this evening in the High School Auditorium. The musical will begin promptly at eight o'clock and a large audience is expected. The program, in addition to classical and popular selections by the orchestra, includes group songs, instrumental and vocal solos, humorous readings and comedy sketches.

The meeting of Mrs. J. J. Rardin's Sunday School Class of Bigelow church, which was to have been tomorrow evening with Mrs. O. D. Tatje, has been postponed indefintely on account of sickness in the Tatje family.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Evangelical church will have a coffee social at the church Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. George Hike of 1033 Thirteenth street, who underwent an operation at Hempstead Hospital Saturday morning, is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Bonham of 715 Sixth street announce the birth of a daughter at Hempstead Hospital Sunday.

Mrs. N. F. Bryant is improving from a slight operation she recently underwent at her home, 506 Campbell avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rolf of 1312 Center street entertained at dinner yesterday Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Wheeler and son George Donald of Minford, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Leever of Chillicothe and Mr. and Mrs. D. Friel, of Huntington, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hughes and son Douglas motored to Cincinnati, Sunday, to spend a few days with relatives. Mr. Hughes went on to St. Louis to buy goods for the Bragdon Dry Goods Company. They will all return home tomorrow.

The Senior W. W. G.'s of the First Baptist church will meet this evening at the home of Miss Lillian Mitchell, 1527 Fourth street. All members are urged to be present.

The meeting of the Buckeye Club, which was to have been held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. J. Rardin on Waller street, has been postponed until after Easter.

Mrs. Charles T. Kinsey (Wilhelmina Slaymaker) of Columbus is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Grimes, 1208 Second street. Mrs. Kinsey will be pleasantly remembered as a teacher in the local high school a few years ago. Mr. Kinsey is located here temporarily with the N. & W.

Mrs. James D. Williams will entertain the members of the Ace Club tomorrow afternoon at her home on Third street.

Group One of Trinity Ladies' Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mary Newman, 708 John street. A full attendance is urged.

Is Very Ill

W. R. Hughes continues very ill at his home on Tenth street.

POLICE NEWS

In Municipal court Monday Bernard Trister and Ella Jordan, couple arrested by the police at a house at 1545 Eleventh street, on statutory charges, pleaded guilty and they were fined $25 and costs each.

Robert Patterson, colored, was fined $100 and costs for [illegible] but a charge of pointing the firearm at his wife, Daisy Patterson, was dismissed for lack of convincing proof. The couple had trouble, the hearing disclosed, over the wife associating with another man.

Nellie Newman was fined $25 and costs for intoxication and disorderly conduct, $10 of which was suspended on condition that she pay a $6 taxi bill.

Cecil Wilson, arrested for driving while intoxicated, forfeited a $50 bond by failing to appear for trial, and I. N. Collins, charged with transporting liquor, forfeited his bond. C. G. Atkins was penalized to the extent of $10 and costs for intoxication and resisting an officer and James Funk, Pat Tuney, George Dement and Lillian Phillips, plain drunks, drew the usual $11.20 fine each.

The following plain drunks forfeited bonds: Don Odle, Tom Jackson, Thomas Burns, Pat Joss, Frank Robinson and Daniel Miller. Ada Hayden, negress, charged with disorderly conduct, also failed to appear and her bond was forfeited.

NEWS FOR THIN NERVOUS MEN AND WOMEN

Fill out those hollow cheeks. Build up that flat chest. Make your clothes fit you. Buy a box of Bitro-Phosphate at any good drug store and say goodbye to worry. Take a step toward strength and "pep". Guaranteed to produce results or your money back. advertisement.

A Sensational Sale!

The FIRST Sale of the SEASON

First in time and first in price—that's the Atlas policy.

This is a wonderful sale of Spring Dresses while you want them. We do not wait till the end of the season when the newer styles are coming in, to offer them to you at cut prices, but RIGHT NOW—Our buyer is in New York now and these are his selections, just arrived today. One hundred of them. Every one is new. Every one is made of the finest materials, silks of the newest colors and with the latest in novelty trimming. These dresses would sell anywhere at from $22.50 to $29.50 but for this sale we have marked them

$15

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Cottage Prayer Meetings For Thursday

Tomorrow evening cottage prayer meetings will be held throughout the city from seven to seven-thirty under the auspices of the New Crusade Campaign.

The George Wood Anderson meetings will start February 22 in the new Taylor Universal Garage on Gallia street.

GENERAL CHAIRMAN

Rev. H. Stewart Tillis

District No. 1—Rev. Chas. Chandler.

District No. 2—Rev Gerald Culberson

District No. 3—Rev. E. H. Dailey

District No. 4—Rev. L. M. Kayser and Rev. C. W. Brady.

District No. 5—Rev. Chas. E. Severinghaus and Rev. William Millikan.

District No. 1—District Leaders—Rev. Chas. E. Chandler.

Mrs. Colvin, 701 Front, Miss Grace Cooper, leader.

Mrs. James Sloan, 112 Scioto, Mrs. Oda Case, leader.

Mr. Jacob Gehres, 519 Sixth, Mrs. Jacob Gehres, leader.

Gilbert Stewart, 906 Bertha avenue, Mr. Gilbert Stewart, leader.

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Mrs. E. C. Scott, 815 Eighth street, Mrs Hattie Jenkins, leader.

District No. 3—District Leader—Rev. E. H. Dailey.

Chas. Bowser, 1218 Fifteenth St. Mrs Clara Graf, 1501 1-2 Findlay, Rev. E. H. Dailey, leader.

Mrs. Chas. May, 1805 Offnere, Mrs. Chas. May, leader.

C. T. Robbins, 1335 Lincoln, Mrs. Robbins, leader.

District No. 4—District Leaders—Rev. L. M. Kayser and Rev. C. W. Brady.

Mrs Rodney Russel, 2102 Eleventh, Rev. C. W. Brady, leader.

Jacob Shela, 1143 Eleventh, Miss Barbara Shela, leader.

Harmon Veneer, 2902 Gallia, Mrs. R. C. Boyd, leader.

C. C. Craigmiles, 1717 Sixth, Mrs. Jas. Williams, leader.

Mrs. C. V. Kegley, 716 Brown, Mrs. Chas. Higgins, leader.

Mr Tayton, 1612 Gallia, Mrs. Chas Landbert, leader.

District No. 5—District Leaders—Rev. Chas. Severinghaus and Rev. William Millikan.

A. E. Everard, 2015 Franklin avenue, Rev C. E. Severinghaus, leader.

J. J. Conners, 1816 Timmonds Avenue, J. F. Menke, leader.

Earl Riddlebarger, 2016 Vinton avenue, Mrs. G. S. Neary, leader.

Miss Carrie Maule, 1623 Hill, Miss Sadie Maule, leader.

Mrs. Oscar Trisler, 2228 Mabert Road, Mrs. Nancy Maynard, leader.

Ushers Will Meet

All ushers appointed from the ten churches co-operating in the George Wood Anderson evangelistic campaign are to meet Tuesday night at Trinity church at seven o'clock. The chairman of the committee on ushers George L. Gulker, will issue instructions at this meeting.

Seriously Ill

Naomi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] is seriously ill. She is a grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martin of Tenth street.

Sunday School Attendance

Illness is given at the cause for the decrease in Sabbath school attendance this year in comparison with last year. Sunday there was a decrease of 345 from the total of a week ago. Yesterday's total was 6264 while a year ago it was near the 7800 mark with not as many schools reporting their attendance. First Christian, First Presbyterian, United Brethern and Kendall Avenue Baptist were the only city schools to show an increase over last week.

Yesterday's Record

First Christian	720
Trinity	543
Second Presbyterian	490
First Baptist	436
Franklin Avenue M. E.	419
First Presbyterian	375
Manly	372
United Brethren	362
Bigelow	294
First Evangelical	291
Wheelersburg M. E.	250
New Boston Christian	195
Sciotoville Christian	190
Grandview Avenue Christian	188
Sciotoville M. E.	175
Central Presbyterian	148
New Boston Baptist	148
Berean Baptist	129
Kendall Avenue Baptist	118
Calvary Baptist	113
New Boston M. E.	102
Nauvoo U. B.	101
Valley Chapel	80
Long Run U. B.	67
Terminals M. E.	63
North Moreland U. B.	60
Allen Chapel	50
Munns Run Union	26

CHICKEN PIE SUPPER AT TRINITY WEDNESDAY

The chicken pie supper and social which is to feature Wednesday evening, is proving popular throughout the congregation. The supper service will begin at 5:45 p. m. and necessarily late comers need not fear that they may not be served. A devotional service will follow the supper and all present will be expected to remain for it. The pastor will expect to meet all who have consented to do personal work during meetings.

BRIGGS IS A REAL REFEREE

P. H. S. basketball fans were more than satisfied with the work of Athletic Director Briggs of Morris-Harvey College, who had charge of Saturday night's contest between Ironton and P. H. S. in the local gym. He was on every play and there was hardly a misplay that escaped his attention. More men like Briggs in charge of the games would soon cause the high school quintets to change their rough tactics. The fact that close to thirty fouls were called shows that both teams were guilty of an unusual number of unlawful plays. Emerson Marting of Ironton and Ashland and Briggs will always be welcomed as officials in basketball games on the local floor for they have shown that they know the game from A to Z and call the plays on the home team as well as the visitors. Athletic Director F. B. McComb of P. H. S. intends to have out of town officials in charge of every game in the future, as this plan has been very successful.

HOLDS SERVICES FOR FATHER SCHERER

Fitting tribute was paid to the memory of Father Joseph Scherer when requiem high mass was read in St. Mary's church Monday morning by Father Goebel. Father Scherer died at Notre Dame, Ind., last Friday and his last rites were held here Monday morning.

The beautiful services here were arranged for relatives who were unable to go to Notre Dame and for friends of the dead priest who wished to pay their last respects to the beloved pastor. Father Goebel eulogized Father Scherer and said his long years of devotion to the priesthood had been singularly successful. The services were well attended as Father Scherer was held in high esteem in this community.

VETERAN TEACHER IN SHADOWS; SKULL FRACTURE SUFFERED SEVERAL YEARS AGO IS JUST REVEALED

Friends of R. K. Day, veteran school teacher and superintendent of the Rarden schools, will regret to learn that he is lying at the point of death at Rarden where he was taken ill several days ago. His illness was attributed to attacks of grip and rheumatism, until a couple of days ago when an examination by the attending physicians disclosed that the patient was suffering from a skull fracture which he sustained in a fall several years ago. A surgical operation performed yesterday disclosed that infection had set in and then all hope of recovery was abandoned.

Mr. Day is past 60 years of age and he has been superintendent of the Rarden schools for more than ten years. For the past several years he and his family have lived in this city.

"BRINGING UP FATHER—TEN YEARS AGO TODAY—JIGGS' DECENNIAL."

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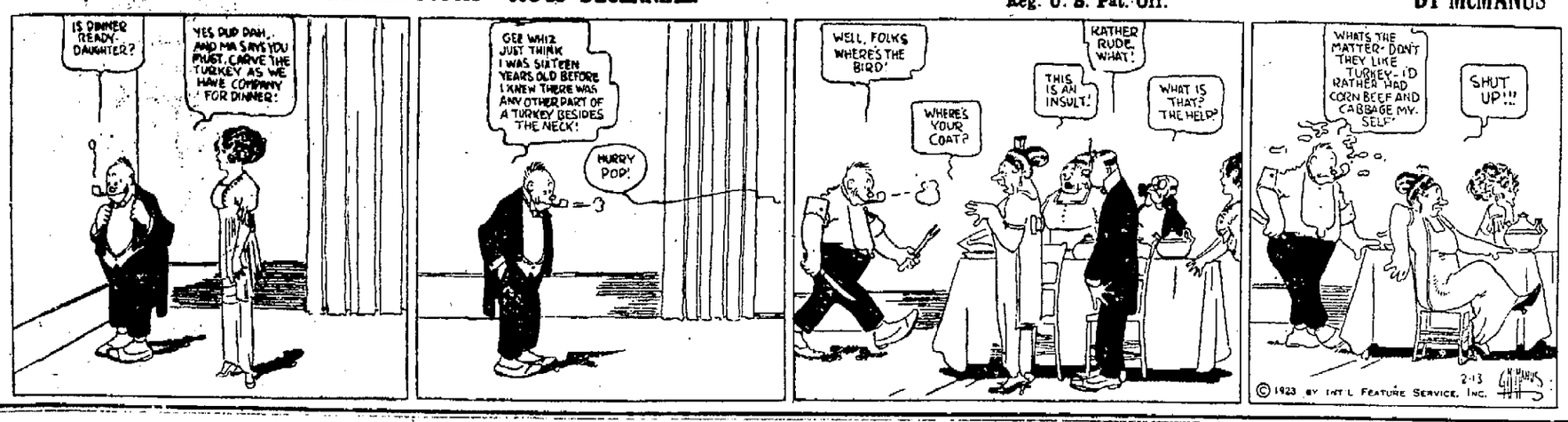

McManus Celebrates Tenth Anniversary Of Jiggs Strips--Some Old Timers Reproduced

McManus, noted author of "Bringing up Father", celebrated the tenth anniversary of the Jiggs strip by taking sick. This prompted the publishers of the comic to reproduce for a brief period, the earliest drawings of that famous series. McManus shows signs of mending and will soon be able to draw new strips for the entertainment of The Times readers. In the meantime, some of the old time comics will no doubt prove just as entertaining.

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But John Hannon was grimly with Clendenning, hand and heart, it seemed.

CHAPTER XV

On the Rim of Mesa Grande

VAL HANNON rode the rangeland constantly. Born to the open and the saddle as she was, she seemed filled with a keener restlessness than usual, a more poignant drawing to the sweeping levels.

For John Hannon's blood was stirring in her and she had found her star. She had raised her innocent eyes to it in the peculiar idolatry of that strange staunch blood—and forever after she would know no other light. Horse—friend—lover—Val Hannon would be true to them as simply as water to its level. So she rode among the mesas and dreamed her dreams, and always she listened for a rider's coming from the illimitable distances, searched the south for him.

And who shall say but that Velantrie, fighting his inner battle far away, drawn desperately by the triple lure of beauty, purity and honest love, felt the longing for her heart, the call of those warm brown eyes? At any rate he came again, on a windy golden day, and met the girl by the Antelope—and they had scarce need of speech.

They rode together with eager outstretched hands and eyes that searched each other's faces with a grave, fierce hunger.

"Val!" said Velantrie, softly, for the first time using her first name, even in his thoughts. Val did not answer, though her every nerve responded to the word. It seemed that for once in her life she could not speak, that there was a fog of joy within her throat.

She held hard to his hand and looked at him—just as her father looked at Belle. It was a pity that Belle Hannon could never see that look on her husband's face. Velantrie was more blessed.

"Ride with me," said Val, presently. "I want to show you my country — some of our springs — and Mesa Grande."

And Velantrie, the strong, the man who mastered his own desires, turned with her, weak as water in this one girl's hands, and rode with her openly across the plains.

So they went by Whitewater, boiling above its silver sands, stopped to drink and loiter by its sentinel trees, then on again to the Mesa Grande.

"This has always been a secret place for me," said Val, quietly. "I have come here always. It is so old and so still, so high in the sky, as if it is just under the feet of God and I sometimes fancy I can hear the angel's wings sweeping about the cliffs.

They dismounted and leaving the horses to stand in hip-dropped rest, walked here and there among the crumbling huts of a lost, forgotten people.

It was mid-afternoon and the drowsy heat was tempered by a soft wind from the south. Where the central hut stood largely among its fellows they stopped again and Val sat down, her booted feet crossed under her, and took off her hat. The hair was sweated on her temples and the man's eyes caressed each little pasted curl. His fingers twitched with the age-old ache to smooth them back, to touch the fair forehead beneath.

He rolled a cigaret instead and leaned against the wall.

"This was the council-house," said Val, "where the headmen gathered. It must have held a desperate council that far-off time when the enemy was coming up the cliff—I'd have liked to see those grim dark faces when they decided on the long leap for all their race."

"Look at mine!" said Velantrie with such sudden sharp bitterness that the girl caught her breath, glancing up with startled eyes.

"What do you mean?" she said.

Velantrie, "sometime of the Border," threw away the cigaret and sat down opposite her.

"What I said. Look at my face, Miss Hannon, and you will see the same desperate decision—for myself. Long ago I tried to make it—and for the first time since I can remember, failed. In all the great crises of my life I have been able to command myself—until—lately. Always I have prided myself on my inner strength. Now I find I am not so strong as I had thought—that is, that I have not been. I am deciding now—today—to 'build well' like our departed friends of the old huts here. I, too, have a leap to make. Help me to make it, Miss Hannon."

The smile that curled his lips was tender, but the look in his blue eyes was growing hard, like a martial flame struggling up to light a marching army.

"Too long I have dallied in this country," he went on, "I have wronged you, and Father Hillaire and — myself — in staying hereabouts."

Val wet her lips and listened gravely.

Velantrie laid aside his heavy hat and wiped his face with a hand that was not quite steady. The lines of his features seemed to sink deeper in, as if he stood to his task with an effort.

"I am a man forsworn to blood," he said presently, "a man whom all the Border knows. I am a thief and a bandit. I have raided and pillaged for four years now, and my hand has been against the wealthy. I have a band of men who swear by me, hard characters all, and they follow me for the shares I give them of my ill-gotten gains. I hate them all to a man, almost, but I must have them."

He paused and looked hard in the girl's eyes. They were steady as harbor lights, though the blood was slowly draining from her cheeks.

"Is that enough?" he asked brutally.

"No," said Val Hannon, piteously, her fingers gripping the brim of her hat, "it is not enough."

"Then by heaven!" cried Velantrie, leaping to his feet, "I'll tell you the rest!"

Val rose too and faced him with her pale lips fallen helplessly apart, about to listen. The shoulder under the girl's gripping hand trembled as with a chill.

"I AM ON A MAN-HUNT, FORSWORN TO KILL THE MAN WHO KILLED MY FATHER."

A sigh that was near a sob heaved the man's shoulders and he straightened from the wall, wiping his ashen face with a downward sweep of his hands. When he looked at Val again he had aged tremendously. But the shaking of his features was done. He was steady as a rock. Then the girl spoke.

"You have an oath to keep. A bad word broken is better than one kept. Will you not break this one—because I ask you to?"

"Don't!" cried the man. "Don't ask me that! The man was my father, and I loved him as few sons love their parents. Do you love John Hannon?"

"Yes," she answered.

"Could you see him killed before your eyes—and let the murderer go unpunished?"

Val's hand slipped from his shoulder and she turned frowning eyes out over the distant plain. Far in the pale expanse a rider on a pinto horse came idly by the mesa.

She studied it absently while she turned this over in her mind. John Hannon—big, iron-gray, handsome. If a man should kill him—aye, she'd be like this man before her, savage, hard as adamant, bent on revenge. Yes, assuredly—there was no other way. Why, she had said she'd kill the man who stole the Redstar, for so slight a wrong as that! One's father, now—

"I see," she said at last slowly, "I understand."

"And when I've done the thing," said Velantrie, bitterly, "I cannot come back to you—not then."

"Why?" she asked simply.

Velantrie gulped and swallowed.

A wry smile curved up his lips pathetically.

"Because I can't," he said, "there is an ethics of the case which says the man who dares to lift his eyes to you must be clean as a man can be. I'm not that man."

"You are that man," said Val, clear-eyed. "There is no other."

"No. You've made me weak as water. I've lingered here when I should have been gone long back on the restless quest I've followed. Now I must be gone again. The clue I followed here has seemed to vanish in thin air, anyway, the clue of The Meteor."

"The Meteor? What's that?"

"The horse I told you of one day—the tie-twin of The Comet. The man I'm hunting for is the man who stole this horse—that black day across the Mexican Border which made me what I am. There had been great racing at New Orleans and my father, who owned these two wonderful horses, had had them there. They had run to within two seconds of the world's record and offers poured in from all sides for them. He would not sell them, not for a thousand times their value, for he was a horseman born and they were his pride and glory. I traveled with him always, for we were all of our blood extant, the old man and I, and the life was gay and free. It was a clean life, too, for the pater was a clean and courteous gentleman, of good old Kentucky stock.

After the New Orleans races we started for a town in Mexico. It was fine spring weather, and at El Paso we took the horses from the railroad and, with two trainers and extra mounts, were going down on horseback. I'll never forget his pride and pleasure in the splendid animals.

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351 Arrests In A Single Month

ASHLAND, KY. Feb. 12—Local police made 351 arrests during the month of January. This is the banner month in the history of the department. Of this number 60 were for drunkenness.

Death Claims Miss Phillips

VANCEBURG, KY., Feb. 12—Miss Cora Phillips passed away at her home on Front street. She was stricken with paralysis about three weeks ago and had been unable to take any nourishment for the past six days.

The funeral was held from the M. E. church at ten o'clock Monday, Rev. A. F. Felts officiating.

Miss Phillips was born Jan. 31st, 1875. The only person of her immediate family who survives her is her brother, H. Clay Phillips, for whom she kept house. Her father Frank Phillips, died some years ago and her mother about a year ago. Her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Redden live here, and their son, Ed Redden, who is employed in the shoe department of Anderson's Department store at Portsmouth, came down to attend the funeral. Jasper Redden, another cousin resides in Tulsa, Oklahoma. He was unable to attend the funeral.

SPECIALTIES TO FEATURE ON TOUR OF STUDENT BAND

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 12—In an effort to prevent a varied program to audiences in Ohio towns they will tour April 9-12, members of the Ohio State University cadet band are developing an extensive series of specialties.

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Manly Church News

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Wesleyan class will have a meeting at the home of Lawson Clark, 1317 Mound street Tuesday evening at 7:30.

The Ladies Aid Society will meet Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Lockhart, 2023 Seventeenth street. The assistant hostesses are Mrs. William Kennedy, Mrs. William Osmeyer and Mrs. R. F. Lockwood.

The Junior League will have a Valentine party in the church basement Wednesday evening, February 14.

Mr. Tynes Here

R. B. Tynes, a salesman for the Harbison-Walker company, is paying home folks a short visit.

Extend Call

MANCHESTER, O., Feb. 12—The Manchester Presbyterian church has issued a call to Rev. J. J. Gruber of Summerville, Pa., to assume the pastorate of their church.

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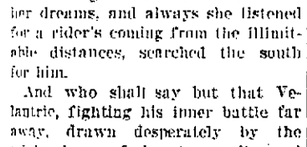

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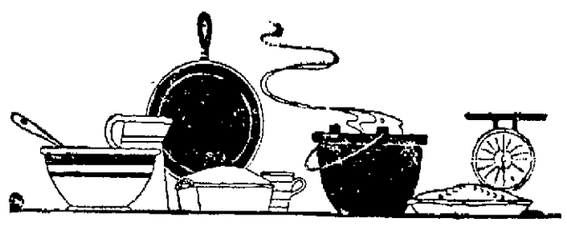

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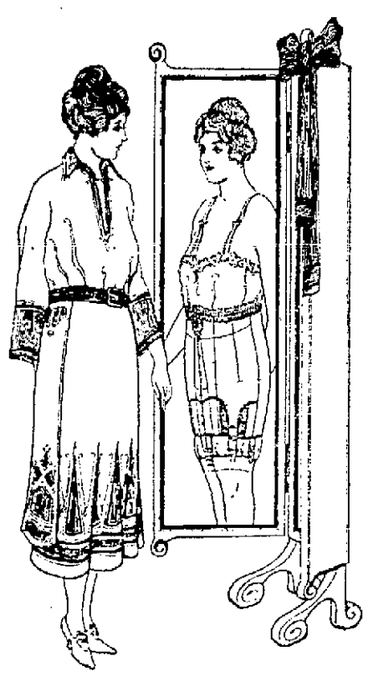

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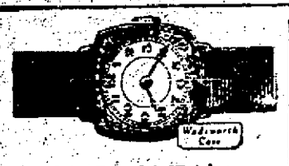

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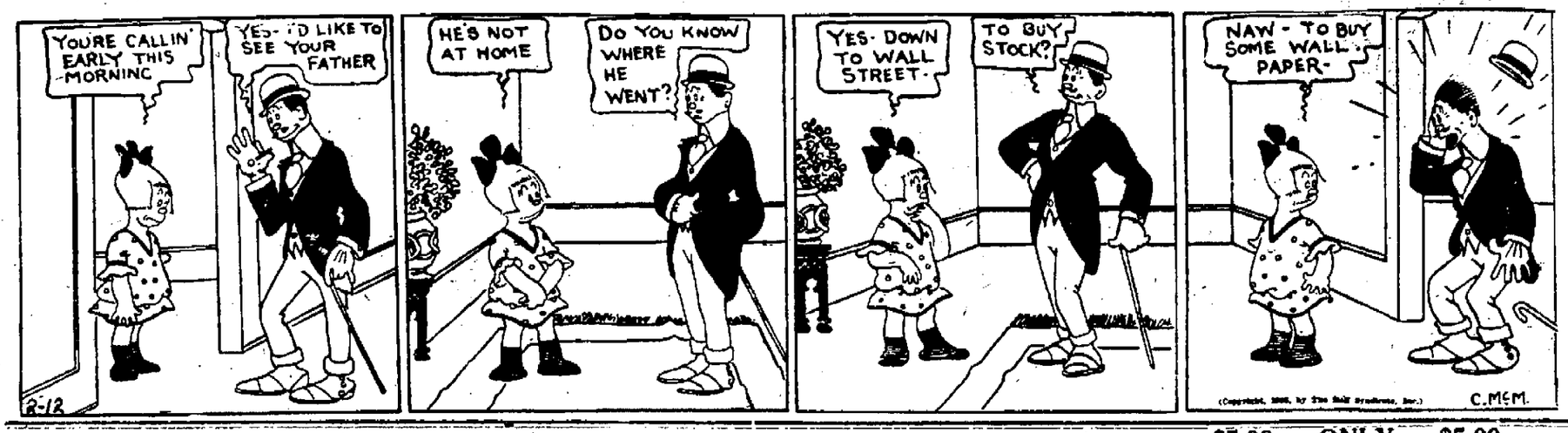

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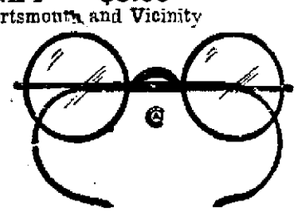

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FOR SALE—Ford coupe, used six months. Phone 556. 10-3t

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FOR SALE—Horses and Mules at Seymour's barn. Phone 2227. 8th—14t.

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FOR RENT—Garage. 920 John Street. 12-2t

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LOST—Kid glove, between East End and Chillicothe street. Reward. Phone 859-L. 11-2t

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FOR RENT—5 room cottage in Sciotoville. Phone 1869-R. 12-1t

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LOST—Bag of potatoes between Chillicothe and Campbell. Phoder Phone 1951. Reward. 12-1t

REWARD—Stolen from my garage Saturday night, 2 iron planes, brace and bits, saw. All new. L. C. Turley. 12-1t

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Market News

Chicago Grain And Provisions

CINCINNATI, Feb. 12—The Grain and Produce markets were closed today. Lincolns Birthday.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12—Hogs, receipts 8,000; fully 30 to 40c lower; bulk 150 to 210 pound averages 8.00@8.25; top 8.35 early; bulk 225 to 300 pound butchers 7.75@7.90; packing sows mostly 6.75@7.00; pigs dull 7.50@8.00; heavy weight hogs 7.65@7.90; light 7.90@8.25; light lights 7.90@8.25; packing sows smooth 6.85@7.25; packing sows rough 6.50@6.90; killing pigs 7.50@8.00.

Cattle, receipts 23,000; slow; beef steers weak to 25c lower; mostly 10 to 15c off; early top matured steers 10.00; some held higher; bulk beef steers of quality and condition to sell at 7.75@8.75; she stock scarce, mostly early sales steady to 15c lower; bulls steady to strong; veal calves about steady; stockers and feeders dull; bulk desirable veal calves early 10.75@12.00 to packers; shippers upward to 15.00 and above; most bologna bulls of desirable weight around 4.75.

Sheep, receipts 22,000; opening steady, slower; practically nothing done on fat lambs; tendency sharply lower; other classes steady; choice 85 pound yearling wethers 13.00@13.25; desirable 110 pound ewes 8.00; one load 105 pound aged wethers 8.50; two loads 120 pound clipped ewes 5.60; mostly to packers.

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, Feb. 12—Hogs, receipts 4800; slow and steady. Heavies 7.75@8.25; packers and butchers 8.50@8.75; medium 8.75@8.85; stags 4.00@5.00; heavy fat sows 6.00@6.75; light shippers 8.85; pigs 110 pounds and less 6.00@8.00.

Cattle, receipts 1400; steady. Steers good to choice 7.50@9.00; fair to good 6.00@7.50; common to fair 4.00@6.00; helferrs good to choice 7.00@8.75; fair to good 5.50@7.00; common to fair 4.00@5.50; cows good to choice 4.75@6.00; fair to good 3.50@4.50; cutters 2.75@3.25.

Calves, steady; good to choice 13.00@14.00; fair rio good 10.00@13.00; common and large 5.00@9.00.

Sheep, receipts 300; steady; good to choice 5.00@6.50; fair to good 3.00@5.00; common 1.00@2.00; bucks 2.00@4.00. Lambs, steady; good to choice 15.00@15.25; fair to good 12.50@15.00; seconds 11.00@12.00; common 7.00@8.00.

EAST BUFFALO

EAST BUFFALO, Feb. 12—Cattle, receipts 1875; choice handy yearlings steady; shipping and fair butchers 15 to 25c lower; shipping steers 8.50@9.50; butchers 7.25@8.50; yearlings top 9.25; heifers 5.50@8.25; cows 2.25@6.50; bulls 3.50@5.50; stockers and feeders 5.50@6.50; fresh cows and springers nominal.

Calves, receipts 150; steady; 4.00@15.50.

Hogs, receipts 2,000; slow; 10c lower; heavy 8.25@8.50; mixed 8.60@8.50; yorkers 8.85@9.00; light yorkers 9.00; pigs 8.75@9.00; roughs 7.00; stags 4.50@5.50.

Sheep and lambs, receipts 17,000; sheep active, lambs 8.00@15.25; yearlings 8.00@13.50; wethers 9.00@9.50; ewes 3.00@5.00; mixed sheep 8.00@8.50.

Produce Market

CLEVELAND, Feb. 12—Butter extra, in tubs 54@54½; one pound prints 55@55½; extra firsts 53@53½; firsts 52@52½.

Eggs, fresh gathered northern extras 35; extra firsts 34; Ohio firsts 33; western firsts, new cases 33.

Oleomargarine, price to retailers Nutola 20; high grade, made of animal oils, 25@25½; lower grades 16@17.

Cheese, york state 30@31; brick 26¾27; fancy Swiss 30@45; Limburger 26@28.

Poultry, live heavy fowls 27@28; roosters 14@15; springers fat 25@26; thin 20@21; ducks 25; geese 20@21; turkeys 40.

Rabbits, Ohio $3.00 a dozen.

Sweet potatoes, Delaware 65@80c a hamper.

Potatoes, Michigan 1.50@2.10 per 150 pound sack; New York 2.10@2.25 per 150 lb. sack; Idaho Russets 2.00@2.40 per hundred weight.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Feb. 12—Butter lower; creamery extra 48½; standards 47; extra firsts 47@48; firsts 45@46; second 43½@44.

Eggs, higher; receipts 13,321 cases; firsts 30½@31; ordinary firsts 29@29½; miscellaneous 29½@30.

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GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL

CINCINNATI, Feb. 12—Denatured alcohol, in drums 38; gasoline tank wagon 20; 70 per cent 30.

EXCHANGE CLOSED

NEW YORK, Feb. 12—In observance of Lincoln's Birthday, the Stock Exchange remained closed today.

Back On The Job

George Gilgen has recovered from his recent illness and has resumed his work in the Glockner hardware store on Gallia street.

Mr. Emmert Ill

Otto Emmert, of Harvard Place is ill with grip.

Discuss Revival Plans

A large number of the colored churches who will cooperate in the union revival services to be held during the Rev. George Wood Anderson revival met at Allen Chapel Sunday afternoon and discussed plans for the union services. Rev. N. W. Brown advised the crusaders to leave religious literature on the campaign at every home they visit and his idea met with instant approval. The prayer meeting committee reported many successful meetings held and arranged for. At the close of the business session a short choir practice was held under the leadership of Fred Minor. The next choir practice will be Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., at the Pleasant Green Baptist church.

Returns From Columbus

J. H. Finney returned Sunday from a several days visit in Columbus.

No Better

Mrs. Harry C. Martin of Robinson avenue continues very ill.

Has Recovered

Mrs. D. Joseph of Tenth and Lincoln Streets, has recovered from a week's illness due to grip.

Here On Visit

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Wilson of Ironton, are visiting Portsmouth relatives.

Was In Columbus

Manager Fred N. Tynes of the Columbia theatre has returned from a business trip to Columbus.

WITH THE SICK

Local relatives received word yesterday that Mr. Bernard Compliment was seriously ill with pneumonia at his home in Detroit, Michigan. His sister, Mrs. Joseph Orthmeyer, of Sciotoville, left this morning to be at his bedside. Mr. Compliment is a former resident and is a brother of Mrs. A. J. Weber of 2114 Vinton avenue, and James Compliment of New Boston. He is also a brother-in-law of Mrs. Chris Kale of Eighth street.

Is Very Ill

Mrs. A. M. Huddleson, who lives in the Damarin building, Second and Court streets, is very ill.

Will Banquet Pure Bred Jersey Owners

Alan N. Jordan of the Washington Jersey Farm on the West Side will banquet owners of pure bred or grade Jersey cattle of this section of the state at the Washington Hotel Monday, February 26th. He is sending out over 150 invitations. They urge the Jersey breeders of Southern Ohio to hear Oscar Erf, head of the Dairy Department of the State of Ohio, Ivan McKellup of the Ohio State University Dairy Department, and Joe Cannon of the Ohio Jersey Cattle Club and field representative of the American Jersey Cattle Club.

Five County Farm Agents are to be invited to the banquet session. Mr. Erf is to tell how Princess Emma of the Hartman Stock Farm, Columbus, is making a world's record while Mr. McKellup will speak on "Boarders On Our Farm." The Jersey owners are urged to come early in the day so that sometime can be spent in inspecting the Washington Dairy Farm on the West Side, where Mr. Jordan has some registered cattle. Corwin Knowles is manager of Mr. Jordan's Dairy Farm.

Hospital For Negroes

TUSKOGEE, ALA. Feb. 12 — On a spot made memorable by the life and works of Booker T. Washington, the government today formally dedicated here to the service of its heroic sons, a rehabilitation hospital costing $2,000,000 an institution second to none in the country in point of plant and equipment. World war negro veterans will receive care and treatment for all classes of physical infirmities or injuries incident to their service at home or abroad.

DIVERS TO HUNT BODY

TOLEDO, O., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Deep water divers will go under the ice of the Maumee river today in an effort to locate the body of 8-year-old Charles Wesley McKinley, Jr., who is believed to have skated into a hole late Saturday.

The child disappeared while skating on the river with his sister and a score of other persons Saturday afternoon. Skate tracks believed to have been made by the lad's skates were followed to an open space in the ice.

Decision to use divers came after all-day efforts by police Sunday to locate the body by dragging.

GENERAL GARZIA KILLS SELF

MEXICO CITY, February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—General Jesus M. Garzia, former military commander of Mexico City, and one of the leading figures in Mexico, against the Huerta administration, killed himself in Monterey yesterday.

SOCIETY

A surprise dinner celebrating the sixty-ninth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Mary Woolam was given at her home on Eighth and John streets Sunday noon. The guests were seated at one long table attractively arranged with carnations and blooming plants, which were gifts from her relatives. All the delicacies of the season were included in the menu of several courses and places were marked for Mr. and Mrs. James Morris, Mr. and Mrs. E. Woolam of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lewis, of Ashland, Ky., Mr. J. Chaffin and family, Mr. W. McCracken and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Woolam and two children, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Woolam, Miss Beatrice Hackworth, Mr. Stanley McCracken.

The dinner was prepared while Mrs. Woolam was attending church, and was a complete surprise.

A Valentine party will be a feature of the meeting of the Minerva Kensington Club Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Banfield, 1516 Robinson avenue. All members are urged to be present.

Scioto Lodge 202 will hold their regular meeting with Mrs. Hattie Daum Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock, at her home, 221½ Grant street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Flowers entertained with a delightful card party Saturday evening at their home, 1665 Grant street. Five Hundred formed the diversion until a later hour when a delicious lunch was served to the following guests:

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Coriell, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bierley, Mr. and Mrs. John Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dammert, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Morrison Coe, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Flowers.

Eugene W. Folsom of Cleveland is visiting his mother, Mrs. Alice W. Folsom, of 1601 Sixth street, and his sister, Mrs. Clarence L. Marshall. This is Mr. Folsom's first to Portsmouth in twenty-five years and he is being warmly greeted by his many friends.

Students On Carpet

MADISON, WIS., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Two University of Wisconsin students, David Sinclair, son of Upton Sinclair, novelist, and J. H. Brooks, will appear this afternoon before S. H. Goodnight, dean of men, to answer for the unauthorized publication of the "Scorpion" a new student journal of opinion.

The first issue of the paper appeared on the campus Friday, containing one chapter of the forthcoming book of Upton Sinclair, touching on the subject of liberalism at the University of Wisconsin. It was an attack on the institution.

Dean Goodnight, Saturday evening called the editors to answer for the paper which was printed without university sanction.

They assert that an issue of free speech is involved and have declared their intention to go through with the publication even if expelled from the university because of their connection with the paper.

Noted Portrait Painter Dies

BOSTON, MASS., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Word was received here today of the death of Joseph R. Decamp, noted portrait painter of this city at Boca Grande, Fla., yesterday. He was born in Cincinnati in 1858.

KILLED BY TRUCK

CLEVELAND, O., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Robert Strehlan, 46, died in a hospital from injuries sustained when hit by a truck while waiting for a street car this morning.

An unidentified man was in another hospital unconscious with possible fractured skull after being struck by an automobile.

Traffic deaths of the year today total twelve.

Oppose Jap Mission To Vatican

JAPAN—Buddhist priests influence Japanese majority party in Diet to oppose establishment of Japanese mission to Vatican.

OBITUARY

Jacob Johns

Another of the city's aged and well known residents answered the call to the Great Beyond Monday afternoon at one o'clock, when Jacob Johns passed away at his home, 930 Eighth street. He had been ill five weeks with hardening of arteries. He had been bedfast three weeks last Thursday, but his condition had been serious only a few days.

Mr. Johns was born in Germany and came to this country by himself when seventeen years of age. In his early life he engaged in the queensware business and after giving up that work engaged in business as a drayman which he followed for years. Mr. Johns had hauled for all the best known business men in the city. He retired about ten years ago. Had he lived until April 17 he would have been 88 years old. For more than thirty-five years he had resided at 930 Eighth street and was highly respected by all who knew him. The deceased was honest and upright in all his dealings and through his many kindnesses won a legion of friends who will be sorry to learn of his death.

Surviving are three children, Mrs. Charles Bittner at home, George Johns of this city and Harry Johns of Cincinnati.

Mr. Johns was a faithful member of Franklin Avenue M. E. church, and was a regular attendant at all services until illness prevented. His wife died three years ago. Mr. Johns also had a Sunday school attendance record that persons of much younger years would be proud of.

Mrs. Vinton Crabtree

Death Sunday night claimed Mrs. Mary Crabtree, widow of Vinton Crabtree, the final summons coming at the home of her daughter at Crabtree P. O. on Duck Run pike ten miles west of Lucasville. Mrs. Crabtree had been ill with infirmities for some time but death was hastened by an accident she suffered about a week ago when she fell and suffered a broken leg.

The deceased was 88 years of age. Mr. Crabtree died in 1916. Virtually all of her life had been spent in the Crabtree P. O. community. Several children survive.

Funeral services will be held from the home Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock with burial in Crabtree cemetery.

Mrs. Abigail K. Rickey

Death at 6:15 Sunday evening claimed Mrs. Abigail K. Rickey, who passed away at her home on Blue Run, Madison township. She had been an invalid for many years, but the immediate cause of her death was grip, which she contracted a week ago. She was the beloved wife of Jacob B. Rickey, who passed away 17 years ago. No arrangements have been made for the funeral, pending the arrival of a son and daughter who live in the northern part of Ohio.

Funeral Tuesday

Funeral services for the late Mrs. S. L. Gilbert will be conducted from the family residence, 634 Sixth street at 2 p. m. Tuesday. The last rites will be in charge of Rev. E. A. Powell and interment will be in Greenlawn.

Mrs. Ezra Van Mess Dean

Mrs. Ezra Van Mess Dean, one of the most lovable and highly esteemed pioneer residents of this city, died at her home on South Fourth street Saturday after an illness of three weeks' duration.

Mrs. Dean, who was 90 years of age, had rallied nicely after her attack and hopes for her recovery were maintained. She suffered a relapse, Sunday, however, and lacked the strength necessary to carry her to the road to recovery.

—Ironton Ifan

Harper Funeral Tuesday

Funeral services for the late John J. Harper, who died so suddenly from blood poisoning will be held in St. Mary's church at 8:30 a. m. Tuesday. The last rites will be conducted by Father Goebel and interment will be in Greenlawn.

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FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS

No teachers' conference this evening on account of so many being ill. The date will be announced later.

The Loyal Reapers class of the Intermediate Department taught by Mrs. G. F. Dodds, have secured the basement of the church for this evening to hold an old-fashioned taffy pulling.

The Woman's Missionary Society will hold their regular monthly meeting at the church Tuesday evening February 13. There is to be a special program with the men taking all the parts. Mr. L. W. Bragdon will be present and will tell of his experiences in the Holy Land. Other talks will be made by the men.

Section Four will meet Tuesday afternoon instead of Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. A. Browning, Gallia street.

The Cradle Roll workers will meet at the home of Mrs. O. W. Robinson, 2730 Fifth street Wednesday afternoon instead of Monday evening.

The regular prayer meeting Wednesday evening will start promptly at 7:15. The topic "Building Life on Gods Will." Be present and learn to build.

Thursday evening, 7:30 to 10 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Sleight 1925 Eighteenth street, will be the regular monthly meeting of the Loyal Daughters' Bible class. The social hour following the business session will be in the form of a valentine party and every member is urged to come and bring her valentine.

Section Two will have a social and valentine party at the home of Mrs. Walter Adams 723 Tenth street Thursday afternoon. All ladies of the Union are urged to come and bring a valentine.

Section Three will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hall, Seventeenth street.

Class Three of Loyal Women will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Wollam, 801 John street Thursday evening. Everybody bring a valentine and your crazy dollar.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH NEWS

A good size crowd gathered at the Sunday evening service and although most of the choir seats were vacated, many through sickness, many through neglect of duty, the congregational singing was spirited and splendid interest prevailed throughout the entire service. In the absence of the Choir Mrs. E. H. Dailey sang a beautiful gospel solo that carried with it splendid evangelistic appeal. The theme discussed by the pastor was "Great Things" and the sermon throughout held before the congregation many wonderful things that come into the possession of Christians as a result of fellowship and communion with the Lord. At the close of the service an appeal was given and three came forward bowing at the altar of prayer and accepting Christ as their savior.

This evening at seven thirty the Christian Endeavor Cabinet will meet at the home of the President Mr. Albert Flack, 1203 Eleventh street for the regular monthly business meeting.

At seven thirty the pastor will conduct a meeting at the North Moreland Chapel at which Rev. H. O. Davis of Rickbridge will speak. It is quite likely that Rev. Davis will be assigned to the North Moreland charge by the Conference Superintendent.

Tuesday evening United Brethren people are urged to attend the prayer meetings in the several communities from seven to seven thirty.

At seven-thirty Tuesday night at the church the board of trustees will hold an important session at which all are urged to be present.

At eight o'clock all committeemen from the church serving on the George Wood Anderson Crusade committees will meet for an important council.

Otterbein Guild meets with Dorothy Phillips at 2207 Eighth street at seven o'clock.

Wednesday night at seven thirty a large number are urged to attend the service for prayer and Bible jointly by the pastor and one of the Class leaders and the booklet "Vital Teachings" will be studied. The speacial topic for consideration Wednesday evening will be "Sin." An exhaustive study will be made of this fundamental topic.

At the close of the prayer service a very important meeting of the Offical Board will be conducted. All members urged to be present with reports.

Thursday evening at seven thirty the Otterbein Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Ernest Coburn, 1414 Spring street. All members are urged to be present.

Valentine Social

The Ladies Aid Society of the Pleasant Green Baptist church will give a Valentine social Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Mattie Robinson on Thirteenth street. At the close of the evening a delicious lunch consisting of chicken patties, slaw, potatoes, cherry pie and ice cream, will be served. The price will be thirty-five cents. All members of the congregation and their friends are cordially invited to be present.

Back In Hospital

Mrs. J. H. Schusky, of 816 Grimes avenue has received word that her sister, Mrs. Maggie Wilson, of Cincinnati, was again seriously ill and a patient in a hospital there. Mrs. Wilson visited here several weeks ago after recovering from a serious illness.

Harmony Meets Tonight

The regular meeting of Harmony Lodge K. of P. will be held tonight at eight o'clock. New Temple plans will be discussed and every member should be present.

Court House

To Administer Estate

Melvin Kessick, 2107 Eighth street, has been appointed by the Probate court to administer the estate of his late wife, Essie Warner Kessick, who died recently at her home at the Eighth street address, leaving property with an estimated value of $2467.80.

City Files Answer

The answer of the City of Portsmouth to the suit of Harry Hadford, who sued for $2000 damages for personal injuries he claims he sustained on Dec. 25, 1921, when he fell through a hole in a wooden bridge over Scioto street at the "Point," amounts to a general denial. For a defense the city through Solicitor Sherrard Johnson claims that the bridge in question is not a street and that it was not constructed as a passage-way but that it was built sometime after the 1913 for the sole purpose of allowing the city's wagons and trucks to haul dirt and other material to fill up a hole washed out by the Scioto river. The answer further alleges that whatever injuries Hadford sustained were the result of his negligence and carelessness in trespassing on the so-called bridge.

Commissioner Shively Ill

Commissioner W. O. Shively continues quite ill at his Duck Run home with an attack of influenza with which he has been wrestling for several days. Other members of his family are also ill with the malady.

Adjudged Insane

Martha Dixon, 60 years old, has been adjudged insane by the Probate court and ordered by Judge Gilliland committed to the Athens state hospital for treatment. She formerly lived in Nile township but more recently has been living in Sciotoville.

Suit In Foreclosure

Suit to collect the sum of $17,500 claimed to be due on a promissory note and to foreclose a mortgage on real estate to secure payment, was filed in Common Pleas court Thursday by Leslie C. Turley and Retta R. Turley against Leander C. McGuire and Estelena McGuire.

The premises involved consists of six lots situated in the Idlewild addition to New Boston and John C. Bauer and The Gilbert Grocery company, who claim some interest in the property, are made party defendants and the court is asked to require them to assert their interest, if any. Plaintiff sued through Attorney E. G. Millar.

Channell Seeks Divorce

Alleging cruelty and declaring that the defendant had broken their marital contract of April 1896 by failing to love and respect him for more than five years prior to December 25, 1916, when, he says, because of ill treatment he was forced to leave, William A. Channell, suing through Attorney C. S. Olinger in the Clark County Common Pleas Court at Springfield, seeks a divorce from Alice M. Channell, Lucasville, in an action recently instituted.

In his petition the plaintiff says that at the time he was compelled to abandon his family and home at Lucasville he had real estate and personal property which he claims he left with his wife and now complains that the defendant has refused and still refuses to permit him to return, declaring that she has wilfully and forcibly prevented him from returning.

Accused Of Violating Dry Law

Sherman Odle, farmer living near Friendship, arrested by county officers Sunday for violating the prohibition laws was later released on bond pending trial. The officers claim to have found three barrels of mash when they visited Odle's home on the West Side.

New Term of Court Opens

Judge Thomas convened the February term of Common Pleas Court Monday morning and on Wednesday morning he will convene a grand jury for the new term. The grand jury will be composed of these men: John H. Allard, S. V. Selby, T. S. Collett, David Scott, Walter W. Bierley, Jos. P. Carr, Frank G. Taylor, Ellis J. Clowe, T. P. Thompson, John T. Watkins, Frank M. Baggs, Stephen A. Dixon Artie Thompson, A. S. Wamsley and George Mercer.

Held On Lunacy Charge

Because of his strange actions, Preston Stacey, 38 years old, was taken into custody by Constable Frank Murphy at Scioto Furnace late Saturday night and he was later brought by Deputy Sheriff Carl Schneider to the county jail where he is held pending an inquiry in Probate court as to his mental condition Stacey is said to have terrorized citizens of the Scioto Furnace vicinity the past few days by his strange conduct.

Marriage Licenses

Roy A. Clary, 28, mechanic, Huntington and Loleema Flinders, 19, teacher, city, Rev. S. Lindenmeyer.

Homer Sheets, 25, postal clerk, city, and Helen Bender, 20, city, Rev. S. Lindenmeyer.

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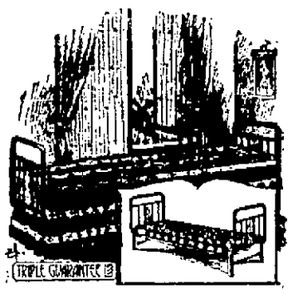

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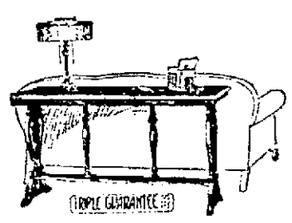

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Ceremonial February 17th. Follow the BUNCH.

Auto And Street Car Collide; Four Hurt

The following is from the Irontonian:

Four men narrowly escaped serious injury last night when the Ford touring car in which they were riding collided with the loop car.

The car was occupied by William Arbaugh, owner, who was driving his brother, Elmer Arbaugh, Stanley Waugh and Wm. Goal.

The men are all from Cannon's Creek and were driving out Park avenue on their way home when the accident occurred.

The Ford hit the right front end of the street car and the jar of the impact threw Motorman Holschuh to the floor, where he was covered with broken glass from the front end of his car. He escaped, however, without injury.

Stanley Waugh sustained a severe gash in the forehead, the flesh being laid open to the bone. The driver escaped with a wrenched shoulder. The other two members of the party sustained minor cuts and lacerations.

All were removed to the Deaconess hospital, where their wounds were dressed.

News From Nearby Towns

WEST SIDE

Miss Gladu Arnett, who is employed in the Selby Shoe factory is spending the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Arnette Buena Vista pike. She was accompanied home by Miss Bessie McGovney of Manchester, Ohio, who is also employed in Portsmouth.

Mrs. Joseph Evans, of City View entertained Thursday, Mrs. William Born and Mrs. Luther Born, of Sixth and Campbell avenue.

Freddie Halves, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Spirey, of Turkey Creek, who was recently taken to Mercy Hospital in Windel's ambulance, is in a serious condition. He is suffering from pneumonia.

Mrs. Eva Mitchell, of Turkey Creek, continues very ill.

The five children of Mr. and Mrs. Cottle, of Nauvoo, who have been very ill are improving.

Mrs. Adolph Brunner, of 1536 Poplar street, Portsmouth, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Heller and sister, Mrs. Margaret Morrison, of Buena Vista.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walker and son of "Walkerdale Farm" Buena Vista pike, are visiting his mother, Mrs. Effie Walker Russell, 1559 Fourth street.

Mrs. Lucy Elliott and nephew Samuel Mitchell, Jr., of Turkey Creek, were visitors to Portsmouth Saturday.

Mrs. George Cox, of Nauvoo, was the guest of friends and relatives in Portsmouth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ryan and sons, Charles and Frank and little daughter, of Winter's Run, Buena Vista pike were guests of friends and relatives in Portsmouth Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Crawford, daughter Irene, son Adrian of Pittsburgh, who have been guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Campbell, of West Side, and his mother Mrs. Crawford and other relatives of Sciotoville, returned Sunday morning to her home in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Rose Johnson, of Owensville, is ill with grip.

Eugene and Thelma Herdman, children of Mr. and Mrs. John Herdman, McGaw, are ill.

Mrs. H. S. Hazelbaker and daughter, Miss Rena, of McGaw, returned home Saturday from Portsmouth, where they were guests of relatives. They were accompanied home by her son Rockey, who is employed in the Selby Shoe Factory.

Mrs. Fannie Johnson, of McGaw, is the guest of relatives in Adams county.

Miss Ruth Stockham and sister-in-law, Mrs. Ruby Stockham, of McGaw were guests of relatives in Portsmouth Saturday.

Mrs. Charles James of West Side, was a visitor to Portsmouth Saturday.

Ernest Easter of Buena Vista, was guest of relatives in Portsmouth Saturday.

The box and pie social held at the Upper Carey's Run school house Friday evening by the teacher, Mr. Hunt and scholars was a success.

SCIOTOVILLE and WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE

The Bridge club will be entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. E. E. Hacquard, Gallia street.

All members of the Berean Baptist choir are requested to be present at choir practice Friday evening at 7:00 o'clock.

Members of the Berean Baptist church will hold a cottage prayer meeting Thursday evening at the home of William Biggs, Long Meadow.

Mrs. George Clark of Winchester avenue is recovering from grip.

Cottage prayer meeting of the Berean Baptist church will be held Saturday evening at the home of George Burgess on Bonser avenue.

Mrs. Fred Earl is recovering from an attack of grip.

The Herald and Crusaders Mission Circle of the Berean Baptist church will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Herbert Hanes on Long Meadow at two o'clock.

The mid-week prayer services of the Berean Baptist church will be held Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock in the church.

Members of the Ever Ready Sunday school class of the Berean Baptist church will meet Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock, at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Carl Glass, 5517 Third street for the purpose of re-organizing the class.

Mr. and Mrs. George Price and son Raymond of Portsmouth were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Groh of French Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Burns of Glenwood avenue spent Sunday with friends in French Grant.

Mrs. A. E. Coe of Sciotoville entertained a number of young folks Saturday afternoon in celebration of the thirteenth birthday anniversary of her son Wayne. The rooms were decorated in keeping with the Valentine season, and the guests took part in a round of merry games. Later refreshments were served to Bernice Stewart, Geneva and Alice Evelyn Castrop, Louise Brock, Estelle Winkler, Elizabeth Reinhart, Melba Bell, Magdalene Oller, Virginia Bailey, Clara and Erline Roberts, Carl Stedman, Gene Patterson, Gordon Price, Blaine Stewart, Thomas Bennett, Paul Bennett, Willard and Guy Bailey, Charles Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brock, Mrs. Elmer Castrop, Mrs. Harry Winkler, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Cole and daughter Hazel and the honor guest.

Miss Hazel Deal has returned to her home in Ashland, Ky., after a delightful visit of several weeks at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Deal of Woodland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. McAdams of 1914 Nineteenth street, Portsmouth, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bently of Woodland avenue, yesterday.

The members of the Sunshine class of the Baptist church enjoyed a delightful Valentine party Saturday evening at the home of Miss Edrie Reed. The evening was pleasantly spent with music and games, at the conclusion of which a delicious refreshment course was served.

Later the Valentine box was opened furnishing much merriment for the guests. Those present for the delightful occasion included the teacher, Mrs. Butler Filmore, and Hazel Plummer, Helen Ferguson, Alma Marie Filmore, Ruby Literal, Clara Reed, Edrie Reed, Otis May, Richard Hoskins, Orville Plummer, Homer Ferguson, Cecil McCormick, William Hicks and Everett Preston.

The children of Mrs. George Gleim, who have been ill with grip, are improving.

The funeral of John Ball was conducted in the New Boston Holiness church by the pastor, Rev. P. Selby at ten o'clock this morning. Burial in the Wheelersburg cemetery.

J. W. Hoskins who has been ill for the past several days, is improving.

Mrs. Raleigh May is recovering from an attack of grip.

Miss Ruby Literal who has been ill with grip, is improving.

The members of the program committee of the Whatsoever Class of the M. E. Church will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. K. D. Reichelderfer. Business of importance demands a full attendance.

The teachers of the Junior Department of the M. E. Sunday School will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. B. F. Brightwell.

NEW BOSTON

Mrs. Katherine Chase, who has been ill at her home on Glenwood avenue, is recovering.

Mrs. Charles Ward and Mrs. S. M Bagwell, of Ironton, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Slaughter, 637 Glenwood avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Siler of Grace street added to their family group for dinner last evening Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slaughter and Miss Mae Slaughter of Glenwood avenue and Kline Blair of the West Side.

The condition of Mrs. Bernice Meeks, who has been very ill with grip at her home on Stanton avenue, was reported slightly improved today.

Millbrook Council No. 77, D. of A. will meet this evening in regular session in Davis hall.

Mrs. Mary Hazel Floyd, Young Peoples' Superintendent of Clay Township, visited the Munn's Run, Long Run and Cedar Street Christian churches Sunday, in the interest of the Young People's Conference, which will be held on February 22, at the Pine Creek Baptist church. She was accompanied by Ellis Parson, Walter Cooper, Everett Dodds and Jarvey Floyd.

The many friends of Mrs. Martin Slaughter, who suffered a broken arm about two weeks ago, will be pleased to learn that she is getting along nicely.

Mrs. S. E. Moore and Mrs. T. R. Moore and son Eugene of Glenwood avenue spent today at the home of their mother-in-law, Mrs. J. Moore, of Gallia avenue.

Miss Vashti Ritter of Gallia avenue visited relatives and friends in Portsmouth recently.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Moore of Gallia avenue had as dinner guests last evening Miss Dorothy Henry and Oscar Lecompt.

White Rose Council of the D. of A. will meet this evening in the Republican Hall on Ohio avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Moore of Gallia avenue were among those who attended the Sun Theater, Portsmouth, where they saw "East Is West," which was played there last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Farrar have returned to their home in Jackson after spending the past week at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Burkhardt, 4057 Rhodes avenue.

Mrs. John Dodge and Mrs. Edward Tumbleson of Portsmouth spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. John Cauley, at her home on Cedar street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chase of Cedar street spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives and friends in Wellston.

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river registered a stage of 18.2 feet in the Portsmouth district Monday morning when the stream continued to drop back.

The Andes departed at 5 A. M. for Cincinnati and the towboat James Moren passed down at 7 a. m.

Are Improving

Joseph Martin and two sons, Lester and Ralph, who have been ill with grip are on the mend.

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Leaves Hospital

Hubert Warnock, 12 years old, of 3878 Gallia street, who has been a patient in Mercy hospital, for several days receiving treatment for an injured eye, was discharged from the institution Monday and returned to his home.

Lyra, Ohio, Jan. 20, 1923

To Whom It May Concern:

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Chiropractors vs. State Medical Board

Why are Chiropractors being arrested by the State Medical Board?

I shall give you my own experience with the State Medical Board then you may formulate the answer.

I first prepared to take a Medical Course. I had completed the two year Medical Preparatory work with the exception of a few credits. All arrangements were made for my matriculation in the Eclectic Medical College at Cincinnati, including my attending a night class at the High School, the first semester to make up my credits. I have merely mentioned this fact to show I was qualified to study Medicine as well as Chiropractic. But before entering Medical College a friend of mine who had taken up Chiropractic came to me with this proposition, "You go to Davenport, Iowa, spend two weeks investigating Chiropractic and see the wonderful results they are having in the clinic after all other sciences have failed. Then if you decide to come back and take up Medicine I will pay your two weeks expenses".

It is needless to say I was thoroughly convinced of the merits of Chiropractic. I then enrolled and finished the work in two of the best Chiropractic Colleges. After graduating I returned to Ohio, my native state. Fifteen months later the Platt-Ellis bill went into effect, which said all Chiropractors must be examined by the State Medical Board; except those who had practiced five years were given a license without examination. They who had practiced 1 year or more were to be examined. No other qualifications were required by the State Medical Board. One I know was granted a license who had never spent one day in a Chiropractic College and the best information that can be gotten he had seen but one Chiropractic adjustment given.

It was very evident the less Chiropractic you knew the better chances you had for the said examination. The Law was very plain and there was no question about it. I was eligible to take the said examination under the exemption clause.

Here is what happened.

I filled out an application enclosing a $25.00 P. O. Money Order the fee for examination and sent it to Columbus. The Secretary of the State Medical Board replied I was not eligible, not giving any reasons. I then wrote and asked why? I said there is evidently an error in my application for I know I am eligible.

The answer came with a few analogous words saying you are not eligible. I then asked that my application be returned for correction for if I was not eligible it was due to an error in my application.

Answer: "Your application has become the property of the State and shall be held as such. You are not eligible."

I consulted an attorney, who said I could get a mandamus suit against the State Medical Board and make them examine me. Why I did not I shall put in the way of a challenge as follows:

"I will give ten questions on Anatomy, ten questions on Physiology; will give four hours time and will place $500.00 in any bank in Portsmouth as a guarantee that I will give any Medical Doctor in the State of Ohio who has not instructed these branches in a College $100.00 if he will make 75 per cent or better in each branch. I want every Medical Doctor who thinks Chiropractors should be examined by a hostile Medical Board to make application for this examination.

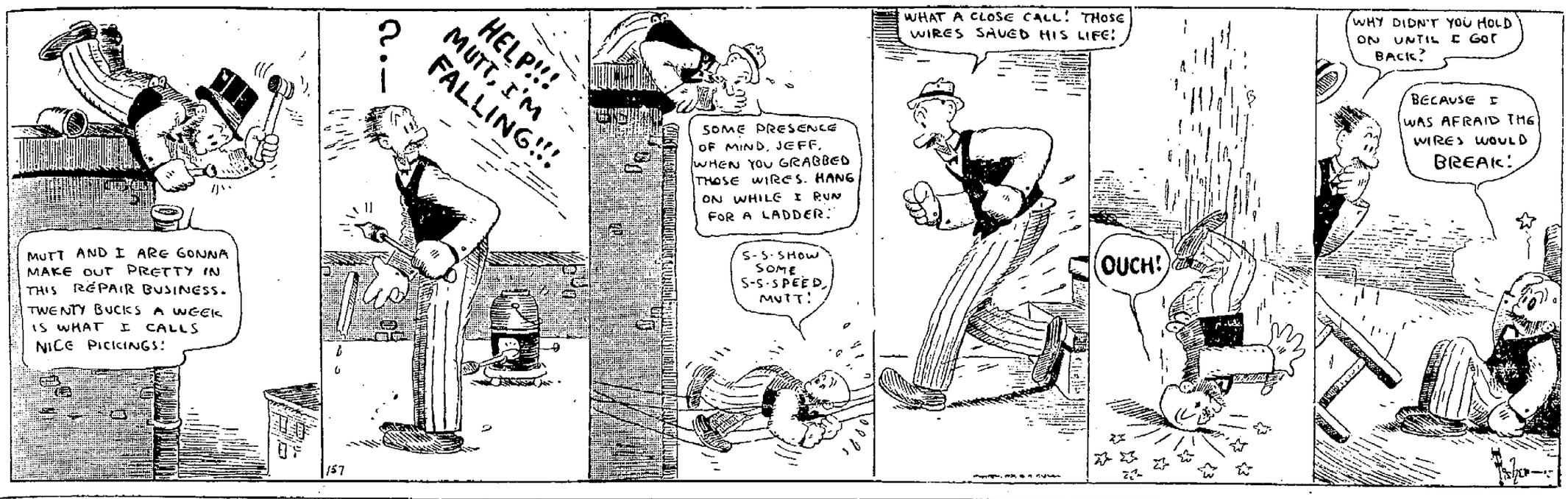
The law that the Chiropractors are being prosecuted under in Ohio is similar to bills introduced in the legislatures of twenty-seven states the same year. I am only mentioning this to show that the American Medical Association is back of it and that it is a National move to crush Chiropractic just like they are crushing Osteopathy.

In New York no Osteopathic School has ever been recognized by the State Medical Board. Up until 1915 a Medical School at Philadelphia, Pa., teaching Osteopathy as a side line was the only school recognized. Even the School of Dr. A. T. Still at Kirksville, Mo., the founder and developer of Osteopathy was not recognized by the New York State Medical Board. Since 1915 no Osteopath has been permitted an examination by the N. Y. S. M. B. As a result in New York Osteopathy is 40 per cent weaker than it was years ago.

The American Medical Association plans all this work in Chicago and sends their instructions to the State Medical Boards throughout the United States for them to carry out. Their aim is to crush every other Science and make Allopathic Medicine compulsory as they have already invaded the Public School and some factories. This is a violation of personal liberty and hence contrary to the principles of free government.

O. L. KNECHTLY

MUTT AND JEFF — Jeff Was Taking No Chances — BY BUD FISHER



NEW GARAGE ALL READY FOR BIG AUTO SHOW

Workmen Monday put the finishing touches to the big room on the second floor of the new Universal garage, Gallia street which is to house the first Portsmouth Automobile Show Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week. It will be turned over to a large force of decorators from Cincinnati tomorrow. They will be busy for several days placing hundreds of yards of bunting, flags and southern smilax.

The Auto Show to be staged under the auspices of the Portsmouth Automobile Dealers Association will be thrown open to the public Thursday afternoon at one o'clock, the show to continue each afternoon and evening from one until eleven o'clock.

In addition to the big display of thirty of the best known and popular priced automobiles there will an accessary show of large proportions in the ground room of the big garage. This room will also be decorated during the next few days.

The opening event will be an auto parade Thursday noon. Soon after the Esberger Concert band arrives here from Cincinnati., they will head a parade in which the dealers in the Association will participate, each dealer to have several cars in the parade. The public is invited to take part in this opening feature.

The entertainment features at the show will be concerts by Esberger's famous band and solo singing by Miss Helen Hofer, premier soprano of Cincinnati.

Reports to Rotarians

At the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club Monday at noon Attorney A. H. Bannon read a report on the progress that is being made in looking after crippled children in Scioto county.

Observe Aniversary

Abraham Lincoln's birthday anniversary was fittingly observed in the public schools Monday when appropriate programs were rendered by the students.

In Serious Condition

Mrs. W. M. Shively of Friendship who has been ill several days with pleurisy has suffered three hemorrhages and is in a serious condition. Relatives have been summoned to her bedside.

Going to Hot Springs

Gus Esares has sold his restaurant and confectionery at the Terminals and will leave in a few days for Cincinnati where he will meet Mrs. Esares who is visiting her mother. They will go to Hot Springs for three weeks and then will returne to Cincinnati for visit before returning home.

SENATE ORDERS PROBE OF VETERANS' BUREAU, CHARGES WASTE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12—An investigation of charges of irregularities, waste and extravagance in the veterans' bureau was ordered today by the senate.

Authorization for the inquiry was contained in a resolution by Senator Walsh, Democrat, Massachusetts, adopted without debate. A special committee appointed a year ago will collect evidence and it will be decided whether a more thorough investigation should be undertaken after congress adjourns.

Recently the bureau has been under fire from several angles, officers of the American Legion among others, criticizing the methods employed in dealing with former service men. There have been evidences that a sweeping investigation on the part of the executive branch of the government already was under way and some important shifts have been made in the bureau personnel. Col. C. R. Forbes, the bureau director, now is in Europe and his friends do not expect him to resume his duties when he returns.

The special committee which will conduct the inquiry for the senate is composed of Senator Sutherland, Republican, West Virginia, and Senator Walsh. A year ago they made a similar inquiry.

Senator Sutherland as chairman said today he hoped to begin the new investigation tomorrow. Among the other things a resolution offered today recites these reasons for inquiring into the conduct of the bureau:

"It has been reported in some press dispatches and asserted on the floor of the house of representatives that there was evidence of waste, extravagance, irregularities, and mismanagement in the operation o fthe United States Veterans Bureau.

"It has been reported that general dissatisfaction prevails among the officials of said bureau. Because of these conditions and lack of co-ordination it is alleged that officials of said bureau have been removed and others have tendered their resignations.

"The burden of such waste, extravagance, irregularity and mismanagement falls upon the incapacitated soldiers whose relief the bureau was created, as conditions as alleged exist would impair the morale of said bureau."

Edison Gives Views On Dry Enforcement, Harding, College Men, Flappers, Etc.

ORANGE, N. J., February 12—(By the United Press)—"America is a sober nation. All this talk about trouble with prohibition enforcement comes from the cities—the country is law-abiding, and what a fine thing it is."

Thomas A. Edison granting his annual birthday interview made this declaration today, intimating that this wave of sobriety is about the best thing he has seen happen to the country in all his 76 years. The great inventor, bristling with optimism, refused to see anything but good all around him.

"The American girl is all right," he said when an attempt was made to draw him out on the subject of the flapper.

"As for himself," he said confidently, "I expect to live to be 100 years old."

He looked as if he might, as he talked to the group of newspaper men, remaining standing during the entire hour the interview lasted.

Here is what Thomas A. Edison has to say about President Harding:

"I think President Harding is all right. He is a little slow perhaps, but the proposition he is putting up against regarding our foreign policy, is a perplexing one. However, I prefer Harding to Wilson, who was not sufficiently in touch with the world to be practical."

ORANGE, N. J., February 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Thomas A. Edison said today that he had offered the United States Navy 45 inventions since he had been president of the naval consulting board, but that every one of them had been rejected.

"Navy officers seem to resent ideas for the betterment of the navy rather than to welcome them," he said.

Edison began the interview in his laboratory office, by kicking over his head to prove his assertion that he was "still young."

"I am doing more work than ever," he said. "I am interesting myself in business theories as well as mechanical and electrical construction. But I am not spending a fortune on bum ideas. As soon as I see a scheme is no good, I discard it."

Mr. Edison jumped nimbly from inventions to politics, and as readily from politics to flappers, education and prohibition.

"College men," he said, "don't know what is going on. They are too dense. Newspapers are a great force and the college boys overlook them. If I had a paper, I'd put more popular science into it. I'd make the candidates for jobs fill out a questionnaire to see if they knew anything. I'd want men with imagination. Imagination is a scarce article."

"Does Cone do any good?" he was asked.

"Yes. I can hand something to him. I don't think he's a fake. He seems to be in earnest."

"What do you think of prohibition?"

"Sober America," he said, "I'm for it by all means. I know prohibition is a failure in the cities, but when wood alcohol kills off all the old soaks, prohibition will have its day."

"The boys and girls of the next generation won't have any taste for the d—— stuff."

"The newspapers print too much scandal," the inventor declared. "We all like a little of it, but I think the papers overdo it. The politicians make suckers out of the publishers. Why should every one-horse political aspirant use up good print to rant about what he wants to do? He should be made to pay for the space he uses."

McCleary Released

Kenneth McCleary, young man, who was recently arrested in Detroit and returned here to meet a charge of issuing a worthless $40 check to the Phil Wolff store last November, was released from custody today Monday when Judge McCall permitted the complaint to be withdrawn.

The accused was required to make good the amount of the check and to pay the costs incurred.

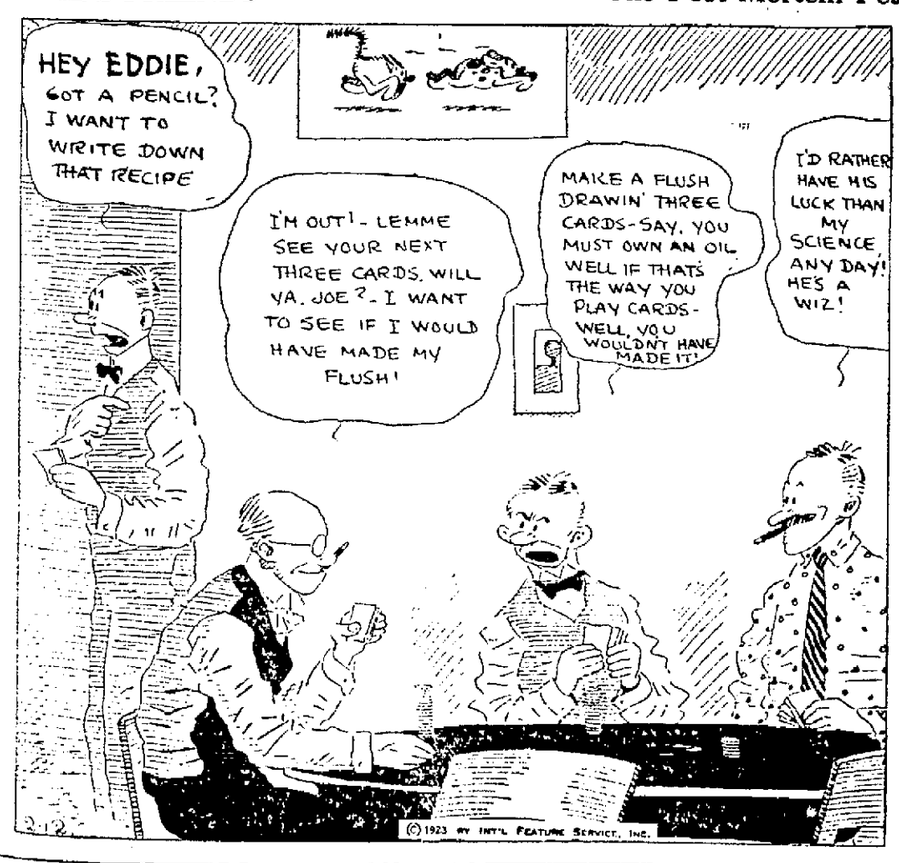
WHY DO TELL

No matter when a wrestling match starts, it always ends in a fall.

WITH METAL CLOTH SLIPS

Lace gowns are very popular now for dinner and theater wear. Frequently they are made-over slips of silver or gold cloth instead of one matching the lace.

EDDIE'S FRIENDS — The Post Mortem Pest



Dog Swallows Orange Seeds; Dies

"Buster," the Boston bull dog, belonging to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Taylor, of Second and Gay streets, is dead, its death being due to gastritis. "Buster's" fate should be a warning to owners of valuable dogs, as his death after he had suffered for a week was due to the fact that he had been allowed to eat an orange, and swallow the seeds. By the time his owners discovered he had been given the orange it was too late to save him. The veterinary says any dog of that type which swallows orange seeds is virtually always sure to die unless prompt treatment is given.

Fire Destroys Oakes Home

Fire of an unknown origin Monday morning about eleven o'clock completely destroyed the frame cottage occupied by Frank Oakes and family about two miles west of Haverhill or at the end of the present paved pike.

Mrs. Oakes and other members of the household were away from the house, Mrs. Oakes being in the wash house for several hours. When she stepped to the kitchen door and opened it she found the interior burning rapidly. The flames spread through the five rooms of the house and within a short time the frame structure and its contents were reduced to ashes. Attention was given to nearby frame buildings and they were saved after hard work. Mr. Oakes carried some insurance on his property but not enough to cover his damage.

Hazelbeck Will Insure You.

WOMAN OVERCOME BY FUMES; ALMOST DROWNS IN BATH TUB

Mrs. William Waller, of 1219 Twelfth street, had a narrow escape from drowning in the bath tub at her home several evenings ago when she was overcome by gas fumes. She had the door locked and had only been in the tub a few minutes when she was overcome. She felt herself getting ill and attempted to get out of the tub and in her attempt she accidentally turned on the cold water and then fell back into the tub too overcome to move or cry for help.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Waller, who were in an adjoining room heard her fall and on calling to her, and receiving no answer, they tried to force the door. Fortunately they found a skelton key and opened it and found Mrs. Waller almost covered with cold water. The unconscious woman was carried from the tub, wrapped in blankets and after attention from a physician, soon revived. She is suffering no serious effects as the result of her experience.

Local Bowlers Long On Alibis But Little Short On Scores

(Special to The Times)

DAYTON, O., Feb. 12—Bowlers representing the Sun-Times did fairly good work in the Tri-State Printers' tournament being held here, while the five man total is low, the teams totals of 2158 is fourth in the money for Class B clubs. Not a man shot his average, but the alleys had a lot to do with it. (Alibi stuff). In the doubles Roberts and Sheridan went into second place with a total of 1063. They rolled in class "A" society. Coe (Morrison) and Flynn grabbed off 898, while Colley and Shackleford got 785. The last two teams were in class "B".

In the singles, Sheridan placed himself in third place in class "A" getting 565. Flynn went to the top in class "B" singles with 553. The lean Irishman hit 'em up in great shape. Roberts and Sheridan are leaving in Jesse's Lizzie this afternoon. The other boys will remain over for the big doings tonight.

The Scores—Five Man

Roberts	148	151	134
Coe	132	136	119
Flynn	144	121	147
Colley	169	148	132
Sheridan	165	152	157
Totals	758	711	689
Grand Total			2158

Doubles

Roberts	178	155	176	509
Sheridan	192	172	190	554
Totals	370	325	366	1063
Flynn	431	197	150	481
Coe	110	163	144	417
Totals	244	360	294	898
Colley	142	99	118	359
Shackleford	134	125	137	396
Totals	276	224	255	755

Singles

Sheridan	181	189	195	565
Flynn	193	191	168	552
Shackleford	172	145	151	468
Colley	117	181	151	449
Coe	160	123	163	446
Roberts	141	160	139	440

Tracy Here

State Auditor Joseph Tracy was in the city on business Monday. He was warmly greeted by old friends.

Suffers Broken Leg

Charles Elliott, of Turkey Creek, is in Hempstead hospital suffering from a broken leg which he sustained Sunday afternoon when he lost his footing and fell over a curbing at Second and Market streets. The leg was fractured just above the ankle and the victim will be laid up several weeks. Mr. Elliott is a well known saw mill man.

Nearing Completion

The new building Gus Esares is erecting on West Avenue, New Boston is rapidly nearing completion. Several out of town business men are figuring on a restaurant in the building.

Mr. Briggs Better

Mr. Briggs of Waller Street continues to recover from a severe attack of grip.

Back On The Job

Fred Rundle has returned to his work at the Columbia theatre after being off duty nursing an attack of grip.

P. H. S. To Play Sciotoville Tuesday

Tomorrow night the P. H. S. five plays a return game with Sciotoville hi, the contest to be staged on the Sciotoville high floor, starting at eight o'clock. The P. H. S. lads won over Sciotoville January 23, 30 to 7. The locals are going to Sciotoville with the intention of repeating that victory while S. H. S. is feeling confident of avenging the defeat suffered in the P. H. S. gym.

It will be the biggest game of the season for the S. H. S. gym, with many local students packing into the small gym.

Is Very Ill

Mrs. David Long is very ill at her home on Front street.

DUVETYN FROCK

An unusual costume seen at a winter resort is a gown of yellow duvetyn worn with a white velvet wrap profusely trimmed with white rabbit fur, and lined with the yellow duvetyn.

Two Men Fined

Sam Grimes, 21 years old, arrested in this city on the night of Feb. 1 for possessing liquor, changed his plea from not guilty to guilty when he appeared in Municipal court Monday for trial and Judge McCall fined him $100 and costs, while his companion, Arthur Johnson, 23 years old, was found to be guilty of a similar offense and he drew a like penalty.

The defendants, both colored, are employed at the Warner House in Chillicothe, and were taken into custody in the North End late on the night of February 1 when they came here to play basket ball. Grimes admitted ownership of a half pint flask of moonshine found in his pocket but Johnson stoutly denied that a half pint bottle of the fluid found in a pocket of the automobile was his property. The police claimed Johnson admitted ownership of the liquor which kept the owner of the auto from being charged with the offense.

Condition Serious

Mrs. Anna Harcha widow of the late Henry Harcha of Buena Vista who has been very ill is now in a very serious condition. Her daughter Mrs. August Brater of Cincinnati is at her bedside.

Poisoned By Fumes

Mrs. L. Dernback, an aged citizen of Buena Vista, who was taken ill Sunday, was slightly improved today. Her son George of Pomeroy has been summoned to her bedside. Mrs. Dernback's illness was caused by inhaling fumes from a coal stove.

Mr. Laudemann Ill

Pete Laudemann, organist at the Columbia theatre is ill at his home on Offnere street.

Returns To Waverly

After a visit to local friends A. A. McLaughlin has returned to his home in Waverly.

To Build Garage

Announcement wa smade by F. B. Schleinhege, garage man of 735 Third street, Monday that he had awarded a contract to J. C. Harris for the erection of a modern garage and sales room to be built on the south side of Eighth street just west of Chillicothe street. Mr. Schleinhege expects to have work started on the new structure between the first and fifteenth of next month.

WITH THE SICK

Roy Kalb, of Third street, is quite ill with grip. His young son Raymond, is also recovering from a severe attack of bronchitis.

Mrs. John Sagar, 934 Front street, is ill with grip.

Earl, Jr., and Fay Elizabeth, children of Mr. and Mrs. Kalb, of Waller street, are ill with measles.

Music Artists At Popular Prices

CLEVELAND — Cleveland music lovers may get an opportunity to hear great musical artists at popular prices next October in the new City Public Hall.

Twenty-four Years Ago

J. W. (Doc) Warnock died at his home in Fullerton. He was sixty-three years old.

Nat F. Smith, prominent West Side farmer, died at his home there. He was 72 years of age and his death was caused by an attack of grip.

Licenses to wed were granted to: William Smith and Elizabeth Shields, both of this city; Edward L. Hasselman, of Gephart's Station, and Phoebe Daum, of Sciotoville; William DeLoteli, of New Boston, and Flora Jeangpenat, of Rush township; John W. McKinley, of Adams county, and Martha L. Miller, of Brush Creek township.

Professor Cassel made another balloon ascension from Fourth and Chillicothe street, but did not go up as high as on former trips, going only about 2,000 feet. Cutting loose he came down in his parachute, hanging by his heels. He landed in a peach tree in the front yard of Mrs. Herman Wessel, 20 East Third street.

Dan Dummert announced his intention to make the race for council in the Seventh ward in opposition to Carl Huber.

Minute Men Win

Saturday night, when the Scioto-ville Selects lost a 30 to 24 game to the Ashland Minute Men in Ashland, the Selects used Potts at center, Powell and Wohler on the forward walls and Conley, Kent and Brown on the guard positions. The Minute Men are leaders in a church basketball league in Ashland.

To Report Early

Within three weeks most of the big league ball players will be limbering up their stiff joints in the Sunny South. The managers are bent on getting an early start and intend to have their players in the best possible condition when the bell taps.

What Eddie Wants

Eddie Roush says he must have $17,000 this year for playing for the Reds or he will remain on his Oakland, Ind., farm. Last year he received $15,000 after holding out several months.

SATIN AND SILVER

A black satin gown, very long and very full, is slashed in front to reveal a petticoat of cloth of silver. A cape of silver lace reaches the waistline in the back and forms the sleeves as well.

Ten In a Row

When the Ashland Kittens beat the Sciotoville Hi girls Saturday night in Ashland, they hung up their tenth victory.

To Select Manager

After hibernating through the winter months the old baseball bug is beginning to show life at Russell and on next Friday evening the players will meet to select a manager, business manager and captain for the coming season.

Russell is a baseball town in every sense of the word and the team there is always given the hearty support and co-operation of merchants, officials and citizens. Their club last year was acknowledged to be one of the best in the entire tri-state region.

VOLLEY BALL

River City League

This week's schedule:
Monday—Faculty vs. Bankers.
Tuesday—Standards vs. Giants.
Wednesday—Tigers vs. Faculty.
Thursday—Standards vs. Bankers.
Friday—Giants vs. Tigers.

Business Men's League

Schedule for this week:
Monday—White Sox vs. Indians.
Tuesday—Yankees vs. Giants.
Wednesday—Reds vs. White Sox.
Thursday—Giants vs. Indians.
Friday—Reds vs. Yankees.

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2	Daily	1:45 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
7	Daily	2:13 P. M.	2:43 P. M.
101	Daily	10:20 P. M.	10:50 P. M.
	EAST BOUND		
2	Daily	2:05 P. M.	2:26 P. M.
16	Daily ex Sun	2:22 P. M.	2:52 P. M.
104	Daily	11:08 P. M.	11:38 P. M.
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No. 4	Daily		12:15 A. M.
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No. 15	Daily		2:20 P. M.
No. 29	Daily Does Not Run West of Portsmouth		8:45 P. M.
	WEST BOUND		
No. 23	Daily		2:55 A. M.
No. 35	Daily ex. Sunday		7:05 A. M.
No. 27	Daily		2:10 P. M.
No. 31	Daily		3:40 P. M.
	EAST BOUND		
No. 38			10:30 A. M.
No. 26	Daily		11:35 A. M.
No. 36	Daily except Sunday		9:35 P. M.
No. 24			11:35 P. M.

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LINCOLN

NOTHING is more remarkable than the continued devotion which is paid to the memory of Abraham Lincoln all over the world. Undoubtedly the great war was effective in increasing interest in the man and in his lofty views as to humanity.

It is somewhat of a surprise, however, to learn that not only is the life of Abraham Lincoln studied in every school in Japan, but that in the darkest recesses in China his name is one to conjure with. His portraits, hardly faithful resemblances, are found in all parts of the Celestial empire, and although by many he is looked upon almost as a god, yet essentially his life and services are brought to the minds of the Chinese in a proper manner. The Chinese are having troubles of their own in these days, and quite contrary to their usual custom, are seeking help and inspirations from the Western world.

Books concerning Abraham Lincoln continue to come out every few months. It is said that there has never been a work on this subject which has not been a success. This alone shows what a hold Abraham Lincoln has upon the imagination of the public.

A more many-sided man than Lincoln never lived. He has been studied with as much meticulous care as any man who ever existed, and yet the world is constantly getting new ideas concerning him. That Lincoln could laugh in the darkest hours of the war was his salvation and that of the whole country. All of us think we have a sense of humor, but few appreciate how valuable a psychological asset it is for us in times of deepest stress. Happy the man who can laugh his cares away.

CHILE'S FINE EXAMPLE

WHAT has been characterized in advance as "one of the most important meetings ever held in the western hemisphere" is to take place at Santiago, Chile, next month. It will be composed of the official representatives of 21 American governments. There have been four previous Pan-American conferences, but nothing like this in its momentous nature. The other conferences discussed merely commercial questions. The agenda for the fifth conference include political questions of the greatest import, among them the forming of an American league of nations and consideration of the policy to be adopted in case of aggression by a non-American power. Reduction of armaments is another vital topic for discussion.

It is most interesting, therefore, to learn that Chile, regardless of what action this coming congress may take, has decided to make a substantial reduction in her own standing army, the third largest in South America. The reason given is highly significant. Chile believes there are no serious causes for disputes between South American countries, and that any which arise in the future will be settled through arbitration, that principle having been generally accepted. But if war should threaten, it sees the United States in the role of powerful peacemaker. There is, therefore, no remaining excuse for keeping up large military establishments in South America by nations which sincerely desire peace.

The farmer used to shave about once a week, but that was before he began to go to town every evening in his Studebuick.

Man has been disappointed so many times in things he gets for nothing that it is little wonder he is becoming suspicious.

The person who contributes something to "help fill the paper" should call around and take a look at the waste basket.

They call them filling stations because of what they do for hospitals.

Perhaps the "first robin" has just been staying around to see what the winter would be like.

Nowadays, when the family physician is called, he doesn't know whether it's a baby or a bullet.

Pretty soon motorists will be complaining that their tires are cut up by pedestrians' sharp shoulder blades.

Usually the shortest trip a man can take without finding what he seeks is when he goes looking for trouble.

The installment buyer who has seen the dealer take the furniture back to the store knows how Germany must feel.

The story about discord in the domestic affairs of William Hohenzollern may not be true, but it is easy to believe.

Radio broadcasting is a great success in its line, but the old-fashioned system of broadcasting gossip still holds its own against innovations.

New York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, Feb. 12—A page from the diary of a modern Samuel Pepys: Up and wroth at the snow shoveiers' harangue outside my chambers. So to breakfast with Chic Sale, the comick player, and W'll Halligan there with a brave story or two.

Then to talk to Henry Sell, the editor, about journeying to Palm Beach and Miami to write a piece or so but, quoth I: "I have no white breeches!" The truth is, in a thrifty moment, I tried to press my pair on an ocean liner and now they are tan.

To lunch at Keene's, on a hog's harslet and baked potato, and Fred Kelley, the pamphleteer, told of a bow-legged fellow reciting Coue's "better and better" until now he was knock-kneed.

All afternoon at my stint and then to dinner and dance at the Club Gallant and Francine Larrimore there in red gown and shoes to match and also came Brooke Johns and we all had a silhouette maker cut our profiles. Home late and so to bed.

There are vicious whispers in underworld haunts of a sinister figure in New York's "dope ring." A young jazz artist who knows much of the seamy side tells me a man who is high in the group that fights narcotics in New York is himself a "hop head"—a smoker of opium. Three times before I have heard this story.

Then, too, is whispered the story that a famous theatrical producer has fallen for the lure of the poppy. There is no denying that the man mentioned has lost his physical vigour. His cheeks are of an ochre hue and he has been having many erratic moments of late.

However, the accusation of dope addiction is one that Broadway uses frequently on its enemies for it is one that the accused rarely hears and it creates an atmosphere of mistrust that is deadly.

This, however, I know. A gifted young writer, one of the most profound scholars in the literary world, is today a physical wreck and unable to leave his room as the result of opium. And the head of a group of dope investigators for a well-known magazine has found that one out of every 500 persons in America is a user of habit forming drugs.

Karl K. Kitchen, the New York World's "man about town," is on the Pacific Coast to write of the Pola Negri-Charlie Chaplin nuptials. Mr. Kitchen took his own comedian with him. Wisely, perhaps, for he has been in Hollywood before. His companion on the trip is Tommy Gray, who has made Broadway laugh almost as much as Will Rogers.

There is a growing attitude of self-assertion on the part of Manhattan's pedestrians. They used to leap from crag to crag in white-faced fear while crossing the streets, but many are now resenting the careless indifference shown them in a forceful way. Near Delmonico's a man was crossing the street according to the traffic signals. As he stepped in front of a taxicab, the driver began to move. The pedestrian waited in the path and the cab kept coming. He leapt to one side, mounted the running board and knocked the driver unconscious with a blow in the jaw while the populace applauded. Almost any evening these days in the crowded sections a fight or so occurs between pedestrians and careless drivers.

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The Martin

Peace at any price is all right, 'cept between th' miners an' operators. Sen. Couzens, the' new Michigan Senator, is fer gover'ment ownership o' th' railroads. We wondered if ther wuzu' some ketch t' him.

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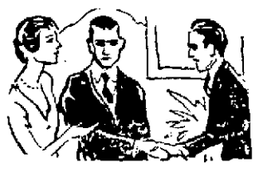
GOOD MANNERS



IT'S poor form to express one's likes and dislikes especially the latter—very forcibly in any gathering where one is not particularly well acquainted. It's a good rule in general and often there are occasions when its disregard may prove most embarrassing.

Doc Koko's KOLUM

Substitutes Valentines

There's valentines in shops
For those who care
In sentimental moments
Their thoughts to share.

Some are expensive, too,
In silvery lace,
More simple ones, a heart
With pretty face.

But friend Jack Frost
Has kindly made
Tokens on the window pane
With friend, Wind's aid.

—Harriet R. Hunter.

Pride Goes Before a Fall

Three-year-old Bettie saw a scarecrow for the first time this summer. She was so interested in the scarecrow that all the family rides had to be detoured by the farm it protected. The owner of the home next door to Bettie's has always considered himself a leader of the town in matters of dress as well as in education and enlightenment.

One morning he heard Bettie calling excitedly to her mother to come see a scarecrow in Mr. Roberts' (his) garden.

Then with a disappointed sigh she corrected herself: "Oh, No! It's not a scarecrow. It's Mr. Roberts."

The Next Best Thing

Unable to keep a gardener on account of their getting drunk a Scotch woman appealed to her brother, who said he knew of one who would just suit her.

"But I must know if he's a teetotaller, James," she said.

"Well," said James, "he's not just what ye'd call a teetotaller, Janet, but he's a man ye cannot fill."

A Shaker

Edward—My love for you is like the deep, deep blue sea.

Edwina—And I take it with just the corresponding amount of salt.—Topics of the Day, Films.

Favorite Songs

By Blaine C. Bigler

President Harding — Beautiful Ohio.

Woodrow Wilson—If I were a King.

Irvin Cobb—My Old Kentucky Home.

Babe Ruth—Home, Sweet Home.

William J. Bryan—Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes.

Henry Ford—Merrily We'll Roll Along.

Douglas Fairbanks—Oh, What a Pal Was Mary.

Mayor Hylan—Hail, Hail the Gang's All Here.

Any Sugar Consumer—Sweet and Low.

Mrs. Bergdoll—Where is My Wandering Boy Tonight?

Max Sennet—Star of the Sea.

Emma Goldman—Over There.

The Doughboy—What Hast Thou Done For Me?

Hubby Returning Home Late—Just Before the Battle, Mother.

A Crap Shooter—Songs of Seven.

The Gliders

You can't fly on haughty airs.
A trip through the air for thrills,
is right "there."
Foolish gliders may become mere
back-sliders.
A gliding dancer is often a romancer.
It is not always safe to imitate a
bad example.—Aesop's Film Fables.

Tough Luck

"I was passing a local butcher shop the other day, and a home-made sign in the window attracted my attention," said the Man About Town.

"Was there anything peculiar about it?" inquired his acquaintance.

"It struck me as being somewhat unusual for advertising purposes," replied the Man About Town. "It read: 'Our Steaks Are As Tender As a Woman's Heart'."

"That was tough luck, I'll say," remarked the acquaintance, walking off smiling.

Addressed to Roxanna

A rich widow, seventy-nine,
From a youth got a pink valentine;
"What he wants I'm not sure,
For his motto's obscure."
Said she, reading: "Rox, be all
mine."

—S. Virginia Levis.

Household Diplomacy

Jimmy: "Yer ma won't let yer do that."

Freddy: "She will if I can get pa ter say I can't."

Crude Stuff

Dear Mrs. McGowan across the hall was speaking of the trouble she'd been having with her car.

"But everybody has trouble lately," she said; "and it's nothing in the world but them using these raw materials at the factories."—Motor Life.

Skin Games

Isn't there some fable about the ass disguising himself with a lion's skin?"

"Yes, but now the colleges do the trick with a sheepskin."—Washington Dirge.

Three Words A Day

ATTRIBUTE

Noun, at-ri-bute, accent on first syllable. A characteristic or distinctive mark, especially an excellent or lofty quality or trait; as, truth and honesty are his attributes.

RETROSPECT

Noun, ret-ro-spekt, accent on first syllable. The act of looking backward, contemplation of the past. That which one looks back upon.

RAPACIOUS

Adjective, ray-pay-shus, accent on second syllable. Of a grasping nature, or character; immoderately exacting; extortionate; as, a rapacious demand; a rapacious disposition.

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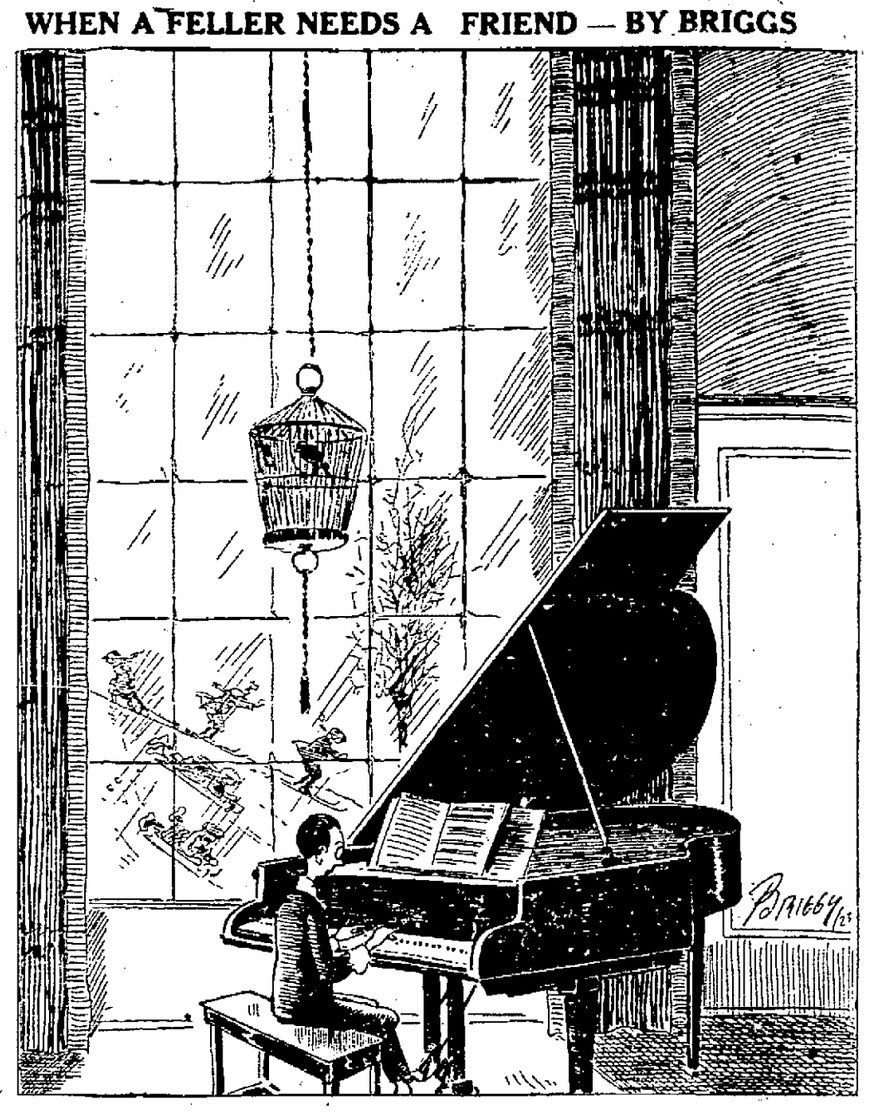
WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND — BY BRIGGS



Art Conceals Art

She (petulantly)—Jack you make love like an amateur.

He—That's where the art comes in.—Boston Transcript.

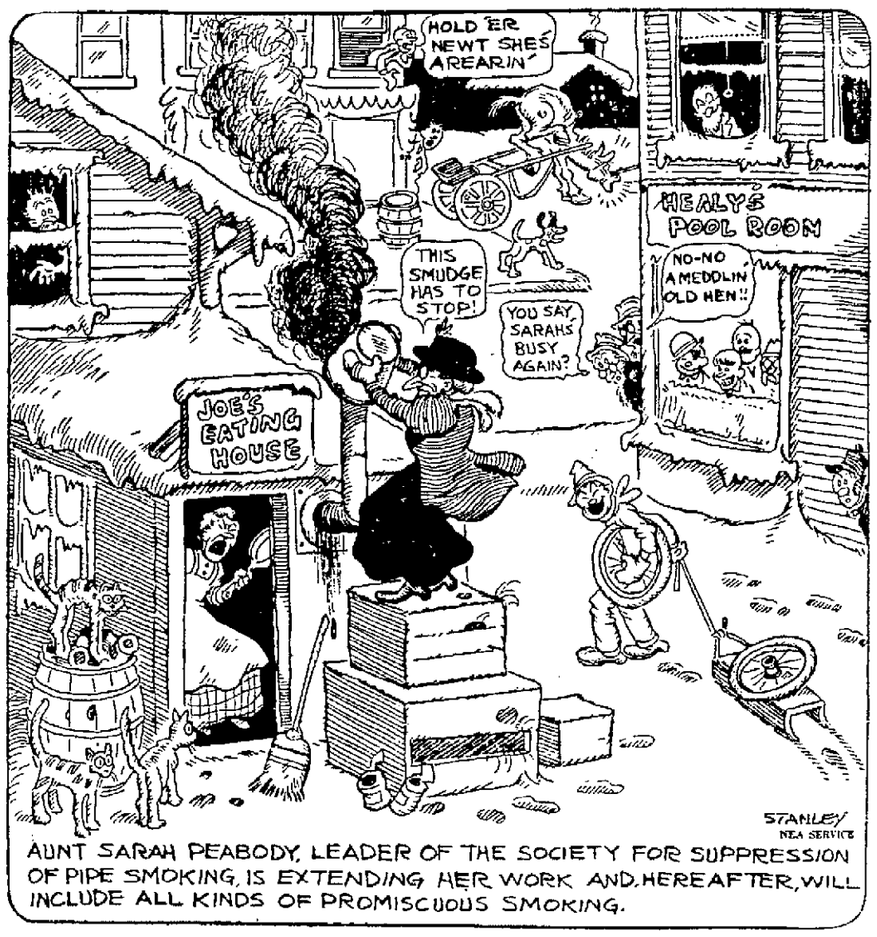
The old-fashioned boy who used to take corn to mill on horse-back has a great-grand-son who now drives an automobile while full of it.

Smoothing 'Em

Mabel—Bill's filing his old love letters.

Lizzie—Were they as rough as that?—Vaudeville News.

THE OLD HOME TOWN — BY STANLEY



AUNT SARAH PEABODY, LEADER OF THE SOCIETY FOR SUPPRESSION OF PIPE SMOKING, IS EXTENDING HER WORK AND, HEREAFTER, WILL INCLUDE ALL KINDS OF PROMISCUOUS SMOKING.

EVERETT TRUE — BY CONDO

BARNEY GOOGLE — It's All Sparky's Fault — BY BILLY DE BECK

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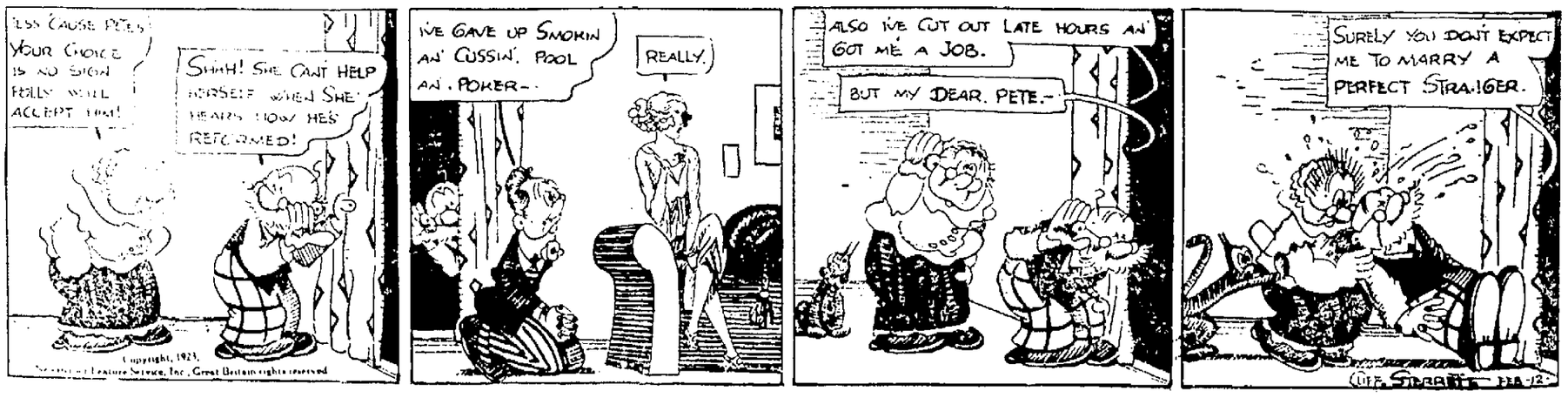

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